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Briefly

Prayer 'Explosion' breakfast slated

A Prayer "Explosion" Breakfast will be held by the Ophelia Newsome Women Missionary Society of Bethel African Methodist Episcopal Church, Madison, at 8:30 a.m. Saturday, Feb. 2, in Oliver Hall at the church.

The guest will be Dorothy B. Muse, a member of St. Paul A.M.E. Church, St. Louis. Muse serves as Promotion and Missionary Education director of the Missouri Conference. She is a retired elementary educator in St. Louis Public Schools.

Church formed; services set

Pastor Bob Burkett and congregation have announced the opening of the newly organized Westside Community Church, 2635 Missouri Ave. Church services will be conducted at 7 p.m. Tuesday and Sunday. Sunday School will be 10 a.m. and morning worship at 11.

Delays by state

With the state government getting into a cash flow problem, checks to Metro East nursing homes are slower and slower in arriving, forcing some of the homes to delay paying their suppliers.

North Granite residents cite problems

By Bob Slate
Staff writer

GRANITE CITY — Residents of North Granite are unhappy with their representation on the City Council.

That is according to Sherri Patrick, who addressed the council Jan. 22. Approximately 30 of Patrick's neighbors also attended the meeting.

Patrick, who was granted five minutes to speak before the council, said residents of North Granite have "no representation from aldermen" regarding the pressing needs of the area.

The North Granite neighborhood is located in the 4th Ward, currently represented on the council by aldermen Dan Brown and Dan Partney.

Two of the concerns expressed by Patrick were problems with railroads, including Norfolk & Southern tracks, and with Feralloy, a steel processing plant located at 2500 Nameoki Drive.

Patrick said school buses are often late to pick up children in the morning due to train traffic. She said a bus nearly overturned last week as a direct result of a train blocking tracks. And she said the railroad switching area

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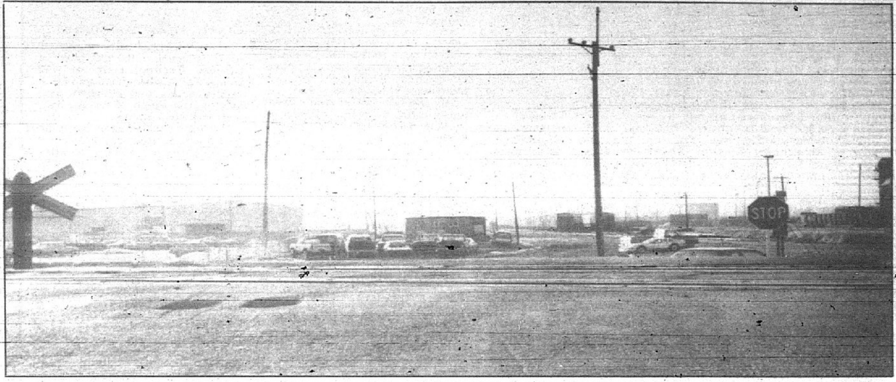

(Staff photo by Pam Doepke-Hurd)

AT THE RAILROAD CROSSING AT Route 3 and 29th street in North Granite, visibility is impaired until you have almost completely crossed the tracks.

Tip of the hat

Robert E. Conreaux of Granite City has been named vice president of manufacturing at Cerro Copper Products Co. of Sauget, Cerro President Henry L. Schweich announced. Conreaux, 55, joined Cerro as a metallurgical engineer in 1964. He has served as superintendent of the company's foundry, refinery and receiving departments; as technical manager; and, most recently, as Sauget plant manager.

Conreaux is a native of Granite City and a 1953 graduate of Granite City High School.

Miller cites city progress

By Bob Slate
Staff writer

GRANITE CITY — Jim Miller will be the city's first unopposed aldermanic candidate since Jake Varadian ran unopposed in the 5th Ward in 1985, and the first in the 2nd Ward since Sam Whitmer ran unopposed in 1983, according to *Press-Record/Journal* records.

Needless to say, Miller is happy about the situation.

"I am ecstatic," Miller said last week. "I am enormously pleased it turned out that way."

Miller was the only 2nd Ward aldermanic candidate to file a petition to have his name included on the April 2 election ballot. Whitmer, of 2321 State St., picked up a petition but did not file it. The deadline for filing Granite City petitions was Jan. 21.

"I am truly grateful to the people who signed the petition I had circulating," Miller said. "I think it shows that the people of the 2nd Ward have confidence in me and the job I did in my first term."

Miller was first elected alderman in 1987.

He characterized the 2nd Ward as a microcosm of Granite City itself.

Jim Miller
... unopposed

"The 2nd Ward is like a mini-Granite City. The residents are from a wide variety of economic, age and ethnic backgrounds. And they are well informed," Miller said.

"The people (of the 2nd Ward) regularly show their support at the polls ... In general, I think you'll find a higher voter turnout in those precincts. A couple of thousand show up at election time."

Miller, chairman of the Downtown Rehabilitation Committee,

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Man's disappearance probed

GRANITE CITY — Police here are investigating the mysterious disappearance of a 69-year-old resident.

John "Louie" Kirksey, who is a retired Union Starch & Refining Co. employee, is described by detectives as five feet five and one-half inches tall, weighing 150 pounds, with blue eyes and brown, graying hair.

According to Jack Shankel, a brother-in-law, Kirksey was last seen leaving his home on Jan. 23 at 9:45 a.m., reportedly to visit his brother's house, also in Granite City.

Kirksey was going to make sure the water pipes at his brother's house had not frozen. Kirksey's brother is in ill health, according to Shankel, and unable to check the pipes himself.

Shankel said Kirksey had recently been depressed due to his brother's illness.

Kirksey never arrived at his brother's home, according to Detective Sgt. Rich Schardan of the Granite City Police Department.

Shankel said he was to take Kirksey to a doctor's appointment later in the day, but Kirksey never returned home.

"He gave us no indication that he wouldn't return, or where else he might go," Shankel said. "We haven't ruled out any possibilities ... It's like trying to find a needle in a haystack."

When last seen, Kirksey was wearing a full-length tan coat

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John "Louie" Kirksey
... missing

Achievement nominations sought

She may be a neighbor and a friend. She may be your mother, or your sister or your aunt or even your daughter. If she has made a significant contribution to the welfare of the St. Louis community, she may very well be selected as one of the Women of Achievement for 1990.

There have been 351 Women of Achievement named since 1955. This exclusive group of extraordinary women includes those who have labored to make a difference in education, health, historic preservation, community service and business.

The *Suburban Journals* and KMOX Radio, joint sponsors of the Women of Achievement, are accepting through Feb. 28 nominations for 10 outstanding women who deserve recognition for their accomplishments. The women will be selected by a committee of community leaders in April and will receive their awards May 17 during a luncheon at the St. Louis Ritz-Carlton in Clayton.

"Positive change in today's society most always starts at the grass-roots level in the neighborhoods and communities in which we live," said Thomas E. Rice, president of the *Suburban Journals*. "We are very pleased to provide public recognition to the exceptional women of the St. Louis area who volunteer their time to enrich the communities that make up this great bistate area."

Robert F. Hyland, senior vice president of CBS Radio and general manager of KMOX Radio, also is a strong advocate of Women of Achievement. "We at KMOX Radio are happy to continue this 36-year tradition begun by the *St. Louis Globe-Democrat* in honoring the outstanding women of the St. Louis community," Hyland said.

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(Staff photo by Val Evenden)

HONORING HARD WORK: Precinct Committeeman Ruby Johnston and Venice Alderman John Henry Williams, left, present a certificate of appreciation to (left to right) C.B. Boyd, Harry Dorste and James Blyue.

Honored

3 seniors cited for work during snow, ice storms

By Valerie Evenden
Staff writer

VENICE — Three senior residents of Venice were recognized at noon Friday for their efforts in helping to remove ice and snow from sidewalks and storm sewer drains in the 600 block of Washington Avenue.

All three "good Samaritans" are neighbors and friends and cooperate in various projects on their block.

The senior member of the trio is C.B. Boyd, a spry-looking 89-year-old. Harry Dorste calls him "Pop."

Dorste, 67, has lived in the neighborhood for 31 years.

The junior member of the threesome is Jim Blyue, 60, who has resided there for 32 years.

"You didn't see any of the younger men out

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Kevin Horrigan

Me, Angry? I'm Mellow. If You Don't Believe, I'll...

A guy called, said he'd heard me on the radio talking to an expert on anger. The expert had said angry people tend to have more health problems and drop dead sooner than mellow people.

The guy on the phone said he believed it. He said he was a psychologist who helped people cope with stress and anger as a way to reduce their risk of heart attacks. He invited me to come out, take a battery of tests and get myself evaluated.

I said sure, why not? I'm a pretty mellow guy and one of my life's ambitions is to avoid death by heart attack. Actually, my real goal is to avoid death altogether, though some people tell me that's unreasonable.

Great, the guy said. I'll send you a few forms to fill out.

Cool, I said. No problem. And in a couple of days the forms arrived in the mail. I sharpened a couple of No. 2 pencils and got to work. The first had to do with sadness and guilt.

- *I don't feel particularly guilty.*
- *I feel guilty a good part of the time.*
- *I feel guilty most of the time.*
- *I feel guilty all of the time.*

At first I decided not to answer this question. But then I felt bad about it—hey, the guy had gone to a lot of trouble—so I filled it out that I didn't feel guilty.

- *I make decisions about as well as I ever could.*
- *I put off making decisions more than I used to.*
- *I have greater difficulty making decisions than before.*
- *I can't make decisions at all any more.*

I couldn't decide how to answer this one, so I laid this one aside and grabbed another one. This one was the self-analysis questionnaire about how I react when I'm angry or furious, which of course I hardly ever am. To each statement, I was supposed to answer almost never, sometimes, often or almost always.

- *I keep my cool.*

Easy. I'm always cool.

- *I do things like slam doors.*

Do I look like a door slammer? Last time I slammed a door, I slammed it on my pinkie, which almost caused me to blow my celebrated cool.

- *I tend to harbor grudges that I don't tell anyone about.*

What a stupid question. I've never told anyone this before, but it really bugs me for people to ask about stuff that's none of their business. I've never forgiven the last guy who asked me a question like that. I'm not going to answer this one.

- *I make sarcastic remarks to others.*

Oh, yeah. What a great question. I wonder how long that genius had to think to come up with this one. What a crock.

- *I pout or sulk.*

What a stupid form. If they're going to ask questions like that, I just won't fill it out. That should show them. I'll just do the next form instead. That'll make them sorry. Besides, the next form was a true or false test and I always get at least half of those right.

- *When I take a new job, I like to be tipped off on who should be gotten next to.*

Another ridiculous question. As I was telling the boss at lunch just the other day, I'd never do anything like that.

- *When someone does me wrong, I feel I should pay him back if I can, just for the principle of the thing.*

Revengeful? Me? Absurd. Anyone who calls me revengeful better know that, no matter how long it takes, I'll get even.

- *There are certain people whom I dislike so much that I am inwardly pleased when they are catching it for something they have done.*

This question was so far-fetched, so different from the real me, that I called a friend to read it to him. He couldn't come to the phone because his wife had just wrecked the car, which serves him right for marrying her in the first place.

- *Once in a while I laugh at a dirty joke.*

Who, me? Well, maybe once in a while. If it's really funny. Like the one about the traveling. . . .Never mind.

- *I do not read an editorial in the newspaper every day.*

What does this mean? I know most people don't ever read editorials. I happen to read them every day. Does this mean I'm weird, just because I like dense prose? Will people laugh at me? Not that I care what other people think, if you know what I mean.

- *I strike out at whatever infuriates me.*

This was the last straw. What a stupid question. I was so upset that someone would imply that I'd strike out at something that infuriated me that I ripped up the tests and canceled the appointment.

Suddenly I felt very mellow. I recommend this program to everyone.

(Kevin Horrigan is co-host of "The Morning Meeting" on KMOX Radio from 8:30 to 11:00 a.m. Monday through Friday.)

Student hit by car

A student who ran across Nameoki Road from the north entrance of Coolidge Junior High School was struck by a car at 7:50 a.m. Friday, Jan. 25.

Robert C. Guffey, 14, of the 2600 block of East 23rd Street was thrown onto the car's hood and then down to the pavement in front of the auto operated by Stephanie J. Dunlap, 19, of the 2600 block of Angela Drive.

The boy suffered injuries and was taken to St. Elizabeth Medical Center for treatment.

Guffey and a second boy, Daniel Cox, 14, at first were standing at the curb on the west side of Nameoki Road, police said. Dunlap was driving south in the inside lane with another vehicle, also heading south, in the curb lane.

As Guffey and Cox started to run east across Nameoki Road from the school entrance, Cox jumped back to the curb after seeing the oncoming cars.

Guffey managed to evade the first vehicle, but was struck by Dunlap's car.

After being thrown onto the hood and the pavement, Guffey got up and ran from the roadway. He was directed to go back into the school by Coolidge Principal Jim Jeffries, who was at the scene.

The driver and students were interviewed by police officers at the school and Guffey was taken to SEMC.

Pink skateboard stolen

A hot-pink and green skateboard valued at $150 was stolen while he was at the Cinema II movie at 30 Nameoki Village, it was reported at 9:15 p.m. Jan. 25 by Chris Huckelberry of the 2300 block of Delmar Avenue.

Two warrants served

Eugene Henry Kuehnel of the 2400 block of East 23rd Street was arrested there at 9:50 p.m. Jan. 24 on a Madison County warrant alleging failure to appear on a charge of violation of an order of protection.

Kuehnel was also served a Granite City warrant alleging failure to appear on a charge of retail theft.

Cannabis charge filed

David Henry Conner, 25, of Detroit was arrested at 12:17 a.m. Jan. 26 in a parking lot at 27th Street and Washington Avenue and charged with unlawful possession of cannabis. Conner had a hand-rolled cigarette in his coat pocket, it was alleged.

Two other men who were seen huddled together with Conner in the parking lot were released without charges when a lighted cigarette, also believed to be cannabis, was dropped into the snow. The second cigarette was not recovered, police said.

Conner posted $52 bail and was released.

Arrested on warrant

Jeffrey Scott Beavin, 21, of Mallard Drive in Pontoon Beach was arrested at the Granite City Police Station on Jan. 25 on a warrant alleging failure to appear on a charge of driving while his license was suspended.

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Man released on bail

Doyle E. Birk, 27, of the 4100 block of Illinois 162 was served a Granite City warrant, alleging failure to appear on a charge of illegal transportation of alcohol, at the Pontoon Beach Police Department at 3:21 a.m. Jan. 26. Birk posted bail at the Pontoon police station and was released, pending a hearing.

County warrant served

While responding to a report about a residence in the 3000 block of Circle Drive at 4:50 p.m. Jan. 25, officers served a Madison County warrant on Darrell Gene Buettner, 31, of the address. The warrant alleged failure to appear on a charge of reckless driving.

Crash ends in charges

A few minutes after a parked car was struck in the 2700 block of Lincoln Avenue, a driver was stopped at Niedringhaus and Madison avenues and charged with leaving the scene of an accident with vehicle damage.

Patricia A. Hufstedler, 36, of the 4900 block of Redwood Lane was traveling west on Lincoln when her car allegedly struck an auto belonging to Catherine E. Watts of the 2700 block of Lincoln and parked outside the Watts residence, west of Nameoki Road.

Patrolman Bill Curtis, investigating a report of a stalled vehicle at Niedringhaus and Madison, noticed the driver had a cut to her lower lip and saw there was severe damage to the front of the auto.

Hufstedler, the driver, said she was unable to keep the car running and was going home.

Curtis had also heard a report of the hit-and-run accident and saw that the license plate on Hufstedler's car matched the number given by a witness to the accident.

Hufstedler declined immediate medical attention and was taken to police headquarters, where she was booked on the leaving the scene charge and for driving with a suspended driver's license.

Hufstedler later requested medical attention and was taken by an officer to the emergency room at St. Elizabeth Medical Center.

Transferred from county

Lynn Arthur Hays III, 25, of Collinsville was transferred from the Madison County Jail in Edwardsville to Granite City at 12:20 p.m. Jan. 25 on a local warrant alleging failure to appear on a charge of leaving the scene of an accident.

Give.
American Heart Association

Briefly

Seniors need auction items

Belleville Area College's Retired Senior Volunteer Program is in need of donations for its fund raiser, a silent auction to be held at St. Elizabeth Medical Center in Pasqal Hall on Feb. 18 from 9:30 a.m. to 3 p.m.

No clothing articles are to be included.

For more information, persons may call 931-0600, ext. 247.

Looking Glass to give play

Performances of "Pack of Lies" will be held on Feb. 1 and 2 at 7:30 p.m. and on Feb. 3 at 2 p.m. at the Looking Glass Playhouse, 301 W. St. Louis St., Lebanon.

The cost of tickets is $5, with half-price tickets for senior citizens (65 and older) at the Sunday afternoon performance. Group rates are available for 12 or more persons.

To reserve tickets, the number is 537-4962.

The Looking Glass Playhouse is a not-for-profit group, presenting plays with partial funding from the Illinois Arts Council.

Scott use plan will be topic

Deb Faber, executive director, Citizens Committee for Scott Joint Use, and Lt. Gen. Robert F. Coverdale, USAF Retired, will discuss joint civilian and military use of Scott Air Force Base on Tuesday, Feb. 5, during the next meeting of the Southern Illinois Network of Women.

They will discuss the importance and the impact this project is likely to have on southwestern Illinois.

The meeting will be held at Sonnie and Char's Restaurant, 1803 Ramada Blvd., Collinsville, beginning at 5:30 p.m. with networking, followed by dinner at 6 p.m.

SINW is a women's networking group for business and professional women in southwestern Illinois.

The meeting is open to the public. Reservations must be made by Feb. 1 by calling Sherry Sykes, 259-1864, Susan Bailey, 345-9940, or Brenda Zampaglione, 931-2008.

IRS answering tax questions

Tax answers are available from Internal Revenue Service staff members at 1-800-829-1040. Publications or forms can be ordered at 1-800-829-3676. Most IRS pamphlets are listed in Pub 910.

For taped tax messages, the phone number is 1-800-829-4477. More than 140 taped messages are available. Automated refund information also can be obtained by calling 1-800-829-4477.

Hearing impaired persons may call 1-800-829-4059. They need to have access to TDD equipment.

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What's New Coming in Your Journal

Helping military families cope

There are many ways of showing support for those serving in Operation Desert Storm. One sure way is helping the family left at home, especially the spouses of reservists who have never been part of of the active duty community. See how the local depot is helping fill that bill in our story Thursday.

Business wins national contract

The U.S. Government and Trucker's Supply in Granite is part of a business that has won a national contract for retread tires, which reflects growing interest in recycling. Our story in an upcoming issue.

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Siblings serving in Saudi Arabia

By Valerie Evenden
Staff writer

Jeffrey Meyer set foot in Saudi Arabia for the first time on his 21st birthday. The date was Dec. 20.

His younger sister, Brenda Meyer, arrived in Saudi Arabia on another memorable day — Christmas Day.

Both brother and sister were stationed in Germany prior to being transferred to Operation Desert Shield, now redesignated Desert Storm.

"Jeff has called home since the war started," said Carole Meyer of Pontoon Beach, mother of the two young military people.

"Jeff called on Sunday (Jan. 20). He was all right, but said the alerts wake them up at all hours and they never seem to get enough sleep," his mother said.

She hadn't heard anything from Brenda since her daughter first called home from Saudi Arabia on Jan. 15.

Specialist Jeffrey Meyer graduated from Granite City High School in 1987. He joined the Army Reserves in May 1987 and went on active duty status in June 1988.

Jeffrey had been stationed in a supply office in Germany for 22 months prior to reassignment to Operation Desert Storm.

Brenda, 19, was promoted to private first class just before she was transferred to Saudi Arabia.

A medical specialist, she had been stationed in Germany since June 1990 after she completed advanced individual training.

Brenda graduated in May 1989 from Granite City High School and she joined the U.S. Army in June 1989.

Both young people are lifetime residents of the Mitchell area, where their father, Charles Meyer, resides.

Brenda is the Meyers' only daughter.

Besides Jeffrey they are the parents of three other sons, Douglas Meyer of Mitchell, Brian Meyer of Granite City and Kenneth Meyer, a former Marine who now lives in New York.

Douglas and his wife, Jennifer, have two sons, Carole Meyer said.

Friends wishing to write the brother or sister may address mail to:

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75th GSC, LTF 13,
2nd COSCOM, 7th Corps
APO New York 09750

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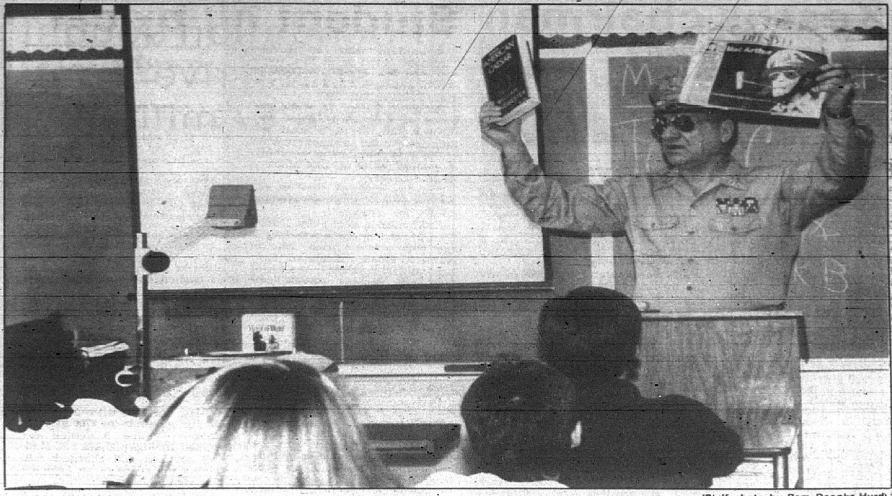

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MACARTHUR REVISITED: Steve Conkovich of Granite City talks with eight grade students in Judy Bucatch's class at Holy Family Catholic school Friday afternoon about General Douglas MacArthur. Conkovich helped the students to distinguish between fact and fiction concerning the general's life and career.

Don't abandon refund check

Thousands of taxpayers on the move leave behind their federal income tax refund because the Internal Revenue Service does not have their new address.

Last year the postal service returned more than $40 million in tax refund checks as "undeliverable" because there was no forwarding address.

Changing your address with IRS not only helps get your refund delivered to you, it also ensures that you will receive other important IRS correspondence. Bills or notices of tax deficiency sent to your last known address are legally effective, even if you never receive them.

If you have not yet filed your 1990 tax return and have a new address since your last year's return, correct the address on the mailing label and attach it to the return when you file it. The IRS will update your records when the return is processed.

Apartment plans in Pontoon expanded

By Valerie Evenden
Staff writer

PONTOON BEACH — Construction of seven 12-family apartment buildings is being proposed in an area designated as Chouteau Bay.

The apartment complex is to be located on Whitsell Way in the Chouteau Trace Redevelopment Area. The area lies on the west side of Illinois 111 just south of East Chain of Rocks Road and Interstate 270.

David L. Jones, the developer and owner of MIC Associates, originally sought building permits for only two of the planned seven 12-family apartment buildings, but based on a sooner-than-expected construction start, amended his request to include the five additional structures.

Each building is estimated to cost $225,000 to construct.

All seven permits, which are good for one year, were approved at the Jan. 22 meeting of the board, Village Clerk Mary Warren said.

A final plat also was approved for Phase IV of the Chouteau Trace I development area on Illinois 111 near I-270.

The plat provides for a tract in the subdivision, designated as Lot 56, to remain a green space.

The green area will act as a buffer between single family residences built on the south side of Whitsell Way and apartment buildings proposed for construction on the north side of the roadway, Warren said.

According to plans, the three-story buildings will be constructed of frame and brick, with masonry halfway up the sides and all-brick fronts.

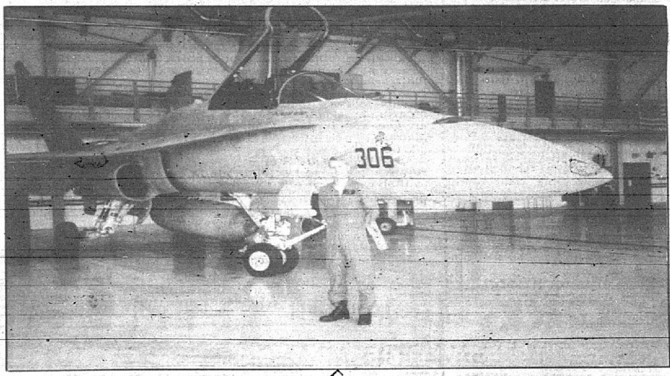
The individual apartments will contain more than 900 square feet of floor space, the plans show.

Each will have two bedrooms, a kitchen, a full bathroom and a living room with a bay window.

Sprinkler systems will be installed throughout the buildings.

The street, utilities, sewers and other infrastructure work already are in place at the building site. The site is within the village's Tax Increment Financing District, but the infrastructure work was not financed with TIF funds.

Jones is anxious to start construction as soon as possible, the trustees were told.



READY TO JOIN FIGHT: Lt. Brian Corey of Granite City with his FA/18 Hornet. The pilot left Tuesday on the first leg of his journey to join the aircraft carrier USS America on station in the Persian Gulf. He graduated in 1981 from Granite City High School North.

Top pilot leaves for the America

By Valerie Evenden
Staff writer

One of four top pilots who successfully completed training has been assigned immediately to the Persian Gulf.

He is Navy Lt. Brian Corey of Granite City. He was one of the two pilots to be assigned to the aircraft carrier USS America on station in the Persian Gulf.

The two other pilots were sent to the aircraft carrier USS Forrestal, which just left the U.S. for duty in the Middle East.

"They'd just finished on Friday and the Navy said they wanted the top four pilots. Brian was one of them," a family member said.

"Brian left today (Tuesday) to fly to Turkey. He'll be picked up there and will fly to the carrier," the relative said.

The Navy carrier pilot is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Larry (Carol) Corey of Granite City. He was home visiting his family at Thanksgiving.

Corey graduated in 1981 from Granite City High School North and went into the ROTC program while attending the University of Illinois at Champaign-Urbana.

He graduated from the University of Illinois in 1986, earning a degree in chemical engineering and a commission in the U.S. Navy.

Corey is married to the former Debbi Gebhart. The couple resides in Jacksonville, Fla., where the officer has been most recently stationed.

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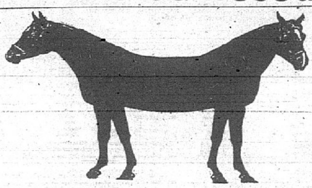

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Kearns chairman of industry group

Richard Kearns
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WOOD RIVER — Richard Kearns, president of The Delivery Network in Granite City, has been elected chairman of the Southwestern Illinois Industrial Association for 1991.

Kearns is president/owner of The Delivery Network Inc., formerly Fox Industries Inc. The Delivery Network operates more than one million square feet of public warehouse facilities, a long-haul trucking company, a local drayage operation and a river terminal.

Additionally, The Delivery Network operates Foreign Trade Zone 31 under an agreement with the Tri-City Regional Port District.

Kearns is a member of the executive committee of the Southwestern Illinois Leadership Council and has played a key role in the continued economic development of this region.

He is a member of the boards of directors of the Southwestern Illinois Industrial Association and St. Elizabeth Medical Center, Granite City.

He is a member of the Warehousing Education and Research Council, the St. Louis Traffic Club and the Civic Entrepreneur Organization.

Kearns and his wife, Barbara, reside in Creve Coeur. They have three sons, Paul, Michael and Brian.

Others elected as officers of SIIA were:

President — E. Gayle Johnson, Shell Oil.

Vice president — Byron Farrell, Helmkamp Construction Co.

Vice president — Larry Schnurbusch, Laclede Steel.

Secretary — Woody Garmon, Amoco Petroleum Additives Co.

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State slowing its Public Aid payments to nursing homes

By Joe Carroll
Correspondent

GRANITE CITY — Some area nursing homes are struggling to make ends meet because the state Department of Public Aid has failed to pay hundreds of thousands of dollars in overdue Medicaid payments.

"It's having a very negative impact on us," said Michael Myler, an administrator at the Pleasant Rest Nursing Home in Collinsville. "We have been waiting 60 to 70 days for payments from the state and this has meant the loss of some of our vendors."

Myler said wholesalers and equipment suppliers have had to wait longer than the usual 30-day period to receive payment from the nursing home because of the state's failure to make Medicaid reimbursements to the nursing home on time.

Chemical suppliers and some repair services have quit doing business with the home because of the delays, he said.

"It doesn't look like it's going to get any better," Myler said. Public Aid currently owes the 122-bed facility about $200,000, he said.

Pleasant Rest, like some other nursing homes in the area, has had to take out loans to pay its bills, Myler said.

"It's hitting us bad," said Jan Follmer, a bookkeeper at the Cahokia Health Care Center. "It's really hurting us."

Follmer would not estimate how much money Public Aid still owes the home. The waiting period for payments, she said, has slowly been extended over the last year from 30 days to 90 days.

Vendors, though, have not threatened to suspend services, she said.

"(The vendors) understand," Follmer said. "It's like this almost everywhere."

Statewide, Public Aid owes nursing homes more than $215 million in overdue payments, according to the Illinois Association of Homes for the Aging.

The slowdown is due to the state's cash flow problems, Dean Schott, a Public Aid spokesman, said. "The reason is there simply is not enough money in the state's checking account to pay all its bills on a timely basis," he said.

Schott said the average payment cycle for nursing homes is 69 days, up from an average of 34 days in September.

But Roger Martin, owner of The Colonnades Nursing Home in Granite City, said he is still waiting to be reimbursed for services rendered in mid-October.

"They are definitely not paying their bills," Martin said.

Medicaid recipients make up only a small percentage of The Colonnades clientele, he said, so the slowdown in payments has not hurt that nursing home.

Foundation sought to spend riverfront fine of $7 million

By Bonita Tillman
Staff writer

EAST ST. LOUIS — The U.S. Attorney's Office on Monday recommended that a "precedent setting" foundation be formed to determine how a $7 million fine to the city should be used.

The 11-page memorandum asks that Matthews and Wright pay $1 million a year for seven years for a community service project in East St. Louis. The New York investment firm sold $473 million in fraudulent bonds for riverfront projects in East St. Louis.

The exact nature of the project was not disclosed, but the memo said the project should be structured to "partially compensate East St. Louis residents for their dashed hopes and disappointed expectations."

"The riverfront projects loudly touted anticipated beenfits to residents here," the memo continued. "The proposed community service project would fulfill a few of these promises."

The U.S. Attorney's Office also asked that the spending decisions be left up to an unnamed panel of trustees.

According to the memo, U.S. Attorney Frederick Hess' office has interviewed community leaders in East St. Louis and the "larger community" to solicit ideas for the money's use.

"We received thoughtful proposals for funding, many of which deserve serious consideration," the memo states.

"That many citizens also submitted unsolicited proposals demonstrates the broad support which the government's proposal has received."

Neither Hess nor U.S. District Judge William Stiehl would comment about the case Monday.

City Attorney Eric Vickers in November had called the trust fund an illicit and racist move to control city funds without the aid of black officials.

Mayor Carl Officer mentioned those comments by reference in a Jan. 17 letter to Stiehl, but asked that several aldermen be allowed to serve on the trust fund's decision-making board.

He also requested that $5.1 million of the money be used to pay for police, fire, public works services and a city-wide cleanup in the 1991 budget.

"These four areas represent essential public services that clearly are viewed by citizens as priority matters," Officer wrote. "(The expenditures) will provide the city some greatly needed financial relief, which in itself will be a service to the citizens."

Officer said Monday he had not received a response from Stiehl and did not want to speculate on whether the judge would consider his requests.

He also had heard rumors about possible uses for the funds, but did not want to "put any stock into them."

"With our common objective being to use this money for the benefit of East St. Louisans, I see no reason why we cannot come to an agreement that serves this purpose," Officer wrote.

IP computer helps attract new plants

GRANITE CITY — Through state-of-the-art computer technology, Illinois Power is now a prime force in helping attract industry to southwestern Illinois, Robert Treat said here in late January.

Supervisor of business development for the electric and gas utility, Treat spoke at a monthly Rotary prayer breakfast.

"We became involved with development because by law our service area is limited. If development drops off, we cannot go outside that area to sell power. If we are to increase our market share, we must attract new industrial users," he said.

Treat demonstrated an interactive computer video system Illinois Power has developed. It allows national and international companies to learn in minutes the sites and advantages this region offers.

The system contains a complete data base that allows a company to key in desirable site criteria, including lot and building size, work force availability and transportation access.

The computer then scans the data base to narrow the area sites to those that fit the criteria. Short videos of these sites and their surrounding areas are then available.

"This is of immeasurable value to companies that are considering locating or relocating in the Midwest. We can save them weeks or months of searching while showcasing what southwestern Illinois has to offer," Treat said.

The speaker was introduced by Carl E. Mathias, retired Illinois Power service area manager in Metro East. The breakfast meeting was held at Charlie's Restaurant on Illinois 203.

HEADING FOR STORM in the Saudi Arabian desert are Pfc. Sheri Wilson (left) and Spec. Carla Reynolds. Both women graduated from Madison High School and are making last-minute preparations for duty in Operation Desert Storm.

School friends leave to serve in Saudi Arabia

By Valerie Evenden
Staff writer

Army Private 1st Class Sheri Wilson and Specialist Carla Reynolds left here Dec. 31 on the first leg of a journey into Operation Desert Storm.

Right now, they are at Fort Campbell, Ky., where they will remain for additional training for the next week or so. At that point, the local women will be reassigned to an undisclosed destination in Saudi Arabia.

"They will be leaving the last of this month or the first part of February," Gary Wilson, father of Sheri, said.

"They went through school together and have been friends for a long time.

"I hate to see them go. They say they won't be on the front line, but anywhere over there is dangerous," Gary Wilson said.

Sheri is the daughter of Gary and Diane Wilson of Madison.

Sheri Wilson and Carla Reynolds graduated from Madison High School in 1988.

Both women are attached to the 7th Battalion, 158th Aviation Regiment at Scott Air Force Base in Belleville.

Carla Reynolds is the daughter of Erle and June Reynolds of Madison.

"Hopefully, we may get to see her again before she leaves. It's possible," June Reynolds said.

Having a daughter heading into the war zone is hard to accept, the mother said.

"It's worse than you can think," June Reynolds said. "It makes it a little easier having the girls staying together. They can watch out for and care for each other."

June Reynolds has an added concern. Her son, Staff/Sgt. Barry Reynolds, 29, will be leaving for Saudi Arabia about the same time as his sister, Carla.

A master gunner with a tank outfit, Barry is a veteran of 8½ years in the U.S. Army and has been stationed in Germany.

"The Red Cross arranged for him to be home for a few days, as his wife is in the hospital and they have a young child," June Reynolds said.

Barry will be leaving soon to rejoin his unit, part of the 6th Infantry. His outfit already has left Germany to become integrated with the coalition forces of Operation Desert Storm.

Sheri Wilson had been attending Belleville Area College since the fall of 1988 and she joined the Army Reserves in August 1990.

After completing basic training in October at Fort Dix, N.J., she successfully graduated from an Army computer techniques course at Fort Benjamin Harrison in Indiana on Dec. 19.

Sheri works in an Army office center.

Carla Reynolds also had been attending Belleville Area College. She joined the Army Reserves in 1989.

She completed her basic training at Fort McClellan, Ala., and graduated from the Army's advanced individual training at Fort Lee, Va.

Carla works in a helicopter supply unit.

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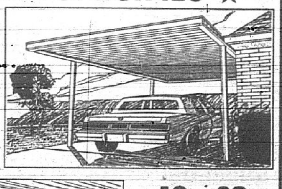

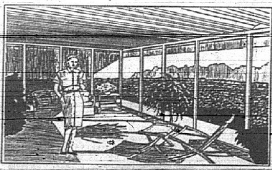

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Astronauts picks up shuttle simulator at Parks Airport

By Jeff Peyton
Staff writer

CAHOKIA – NASA astronauts were at the St. Louis Downtown Parks Airport Thursday to pick up their new Shuttle Trainer Aircraft from Midcoast Aviation.

The aircraft, a Gulfstream II, underwent major modifications by Midcoast to make the it simulate real space shuttle landings.

According to Larry Neu, NASA engineer and project manager, Midcoast modifications make the Gulfstream fly exactly like the space shuttle.

The trainer looks like an ordinary Gulfstream aircraft on the outside. Exterior differences are in the specially-designed wings the plane has been re-fitted with, along with special thrust reversers installed on the engines.

The modified wings contain flaperons, which will vary the amount of lift and drag required to simulate a real shuttle landing.

According to NASA pilot Joe Algranti, the modifications were necessary to get a 40,000-pound trainer to simulate a 200,000-pound shuttle in its descent.

To explain how fast the real shuttle flies on its way down, Algranti said, "Imagine you jumped out of a plane without a parachute at 250,000 feet. The shuttle would beat you to the ground."

In addition to the wing and engine modification, Midcoast also had to reconstruct the aircraft's cockpit. According to Sandy Wirtz, Midcoast spokesperson, the left side of the cockpit was rebuilt to simulate the space shuttle cockpit, while the right side of the cockpit was to house a condensed Gulfstream II instrument panel. An advanced digital avionics system was also installed.

Midcoast was awarded the $4 million contract in the spring of 1989. The company finished the job ahead of schedule.

Once NASA returns the aircraft to Houston, additional computer equipment will be installed to enhance the total shuttle simulation.

Parks to host aviation conference

By Jeff Peyton
Staff writer

CAHOKIA -- Parks College of St. Louis University will host the second annual national conference on "Women in Aviation" March 21-23.

Last year's event drew 282 people. This year, 500 and 600 are expected at the confernece, to be held at the Clarion Hotel in St. Louis. The conference will be chaired by Dr. Peggy Baty, academic dean at Parks College. Dean helped plan last year's event, which was held in Prescott, Ariz.

"There are three basic reasons for the conference," Baty said. "First, to educate the public on the historical contributions women have made to aviation. Second, to provide an opportunity to high school and college-age women interested in avaition careers to meet role models. And third, to provide a forum for women aviators to meet professionally."

According to Baty, several prominent women aviators will speak at the conference.

"Jeana Yeager will speak on her 1986 around-the-world Voyager flight," Baty said. "Adela Scharr, a former WASP (Women Air Force Service Pilot) member, will speak on her experiences during World War II. And aviation pioneers like Bobbi Trout will talk about their experiences in the '20s and '30s."

Also included is Brooke Knapp, president of the Knapp Group, a private investment company. Knapp, a record-setting pilot, founded Jet Airways Inc.

Paul H. Poberezney, chairman of the board of the Experimental Aircraft Association, will speak at the banquet March 22. Poberezney founded the EAA.

Others include aviation pioneers Edna Gardner Whyte and Nancy Hopkins Tier, FAA Regional Administrator Arlene Feldman, astronaut Kathy Sullivan, and Carol Osborne, co-author of "Amelia, My Courageous Sister." Osborne will speak on the history, rather than mystery, of Amelia Earhart.

According to Baty, there will also be seminars on aviation safety, women airline pilots, air traffic control and aviation engineering.

"It will be a combination of history, career orientation and a variety of exhibits on display," Baty said.

Registration is $55, $65 if received after March 1.

(Staff photo by Pam Doepke-Hurd)

HEART EDUCATION: Students in Madison County's school districts have new educational materials for health classes provided by Blue Cross-Blue Shield and the American Heart Association. Forty kits have been donated to Madison County School Superintendent Harry Briggs' office and are available for use by school nurses and health teachers in Madison County schools. The kits consist of books, posters, audio and videotapes, games and health equipment that the students can use in classroom activities. Prather sixth graders, seated from left: Connie Meyer, Janna Pursel, Beth Feenstra and Stephen Snyder demonstrate one of the items in the heart kit for Briggs, standing left, and Sharon Rush, American Heart Association.

Symphony sets schedule

A series of concerts by the St. Louis Symphony Orchestra entitled "America's Musical Spirit: Concerts in Missouri," will be held during February and March in the metropolitan area.

The concerts, which were announced Tuesday, will be either free or benefit the USO or American Red Cross. More concert dates may be announced later in Missouri and Illinois.

The series opens Feb. 12 through 16 with free concerts in Jefferson City, Sedalia, Osage Beach, Springfield, Fort Leonard Wood, Cape Girardeau and Hannibal. The symphony then will return to the St. Louis area for at least six performances.

The local schedule includes:

•Concerts at 8:30 p.m. Feb. 22 and 23 at Powell Symphony Hall featuring the orchestra and chorus in Beethoven's Symphony No. 9 and Bernstein's "Chichester Psalms." Tickets are $5 and $10 with all Feb. 22 proceeds to benefit the USO and Feb. 23 proceeds to benefit the American Red Cross. A third, free concert will be held at 3 p.m. Feb. 24.

•A free concert at 8 p.m. March 1 in the University of Missouri-St. Louis's Mark Twain Auditorium. The program will include Beethoven's "Overture to Leonore, No. 3"; Barber's "Adagio for Strings" and Bernstein's "Chichester Psalms."

•A free concert at 8 p.m. March 2 in the Harris Stowe State College auditorium. The concert will feature Beethoven's "Overture to Leonore," Barber's "Adagio for Strings," and Bernstein's "Chichester Psalms."

•A free concert at 7:30 p.m. March 3 in the Affton High School auditorium. Beethoven's "Overture to Leonore," Barber's "Adagio for Strings" and Bernstein's "Chichester Psalms" will be performed.

Admission passes to all St. Louis-area concerts and tickets for the USO and Red Cross benefits are available at the Powell Symphony Hall box office and all MetroTix outlets. MetroTix has agreed to waive its usual ticket charges for the performances, it was announced.

The concerts are being sponsored by Maritz Inc., Emerson Electric Co., Mallinckrodt Inc., Graybar Electric Co., Boatmen's Bancshares Inc. and the Whitaker Charitable Foundation.

Festival will provide a look back at old French Cahokia

By Jeff Peyton
Staff writer

The Jarrot Mansion, the Old Holy Family Log Church and the Cahokia Courthouse State Historical sites will be featured Feb. 9 in this year's annual Fete du Bon Vieux Temps.

This "festival of the good old days," according to Fete coordinator Molly McKenzie, represents a look back at old French Cahokia.

"We started this in 1987 to focus public attention on the Jarrot Mansion," McKenzie said. "But the festival has gone through a lot of changes. We've really built on the courthouse."

The first Fete was put together by 15 volunteers. About 300 "curious onlookers" attended. Last year's Fete took 65 volunteers to run, and attracted more than 2,500 visitors.

"We've had to segment the audiences just to handle the crowds," McKenzie said.

Storyteller Mike Anderson will entertain at the Jarrot Mansion from 4 p.m. to 6 p.m. According to McKenzie, Anderson is one the best yarn-spinners and worst pun-tellers anywhere.

Colonial dancers will demonstrate dance steps of the era in the Jarrot Mansion ball room at 6 p.m. An 18th century fashion show will be staged immediately following at 7 p.m.

A candlelight Mass is scheduled for 5 p.m. at Old Holy Family Log Church, which remains open for tours until 8 p.m.

A candlelight reception, highlighted with entertainment the Gypsy Guerrilla Band on hammered dulcimer and autoharp, will be held at the Courthouse between 4 p.m. and 8 p.m.

The evening culminates with the Fete du Bon Vieux Temps Colonial Mardi Gras Ball. The ball, a new addition to the Fete, will begin at 8:30 p.m. at the Knights of Columbus Hall, just south of the Courthouse on Route 3.

According to McKenzie, everyone who attends the colonial dance demonstration and fashion show will be prepared to thoroughly enjoy the Mardi Gras Ball.

"You can learn the dances before you get to the ball," she said.

"Admission is $2 if you're dressed in street clothes," she said. "But if you come dressed in colonial costumes, the price is $1."

McKenzie said there will be contre-dances, quadrilles and line dances, all set to traditional music. Fiddlin' Geoff Seitz and Friends will provide the music, and Bob Borcherding will call the dances.

The Fete is sponsored by the Illinois Historic Preservation Agency.

Marriage licenses

The following marriage licenses were applied for in Madison County:

Ronald Lee Barr and Michelle Renee Haley, both of Granite City.

Ronald Matt Barrios and Elinda Rae Barrios, both of Granite City.

Bryant Edward Carroll of Madison and Leandra Rae Gray of Granite City.

Thomas Jules Debruin Jr. and Karen Marie Draper, both of Granite City.

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Haste makes 'waits' for taxpayers

By Roger McGrath
Correspondent

A tax refund from Uncle Sam may sound especially good about now, with holiday bills and high heating costs straining budgets.

If you expect one this year and plan to speed through the filing process, however, take note of this advice from professional tax preparers: Don't slap together your 1990 income tax return.

Those who rush often make mistakes that delay processing and, thus, delay the refund check.

Delay-causing mistakes include math errors, forgetting to sign the form and not attaching the needed paperwork, such as W-2s.

Consider mathematical mistakes. "Usually the service center (the IRS office that processes tax forms) will catch those, but it does delay things," says Ann Connors, taxpayer service specialist in the Internal Revenue Service's St. Louis office.

"The biggest mistake is, people get excited and file too early, when they don't have all the paperwork," says Linda Cannon, St. Charles district manager for the H&R Block tax chain.

These are the documents you will need to prepare your Form 1040: W-2s detailing earnings and taxes withheld by all employers you worked for in 1990 and Form 1099s showing how much interest your bank accounts earned. If you received Social Security or collected unemployment compensation during the year, you will need 1099s from those agencies.

Employers, banks and others who issue Form 1099 must mail those statements by Jan. 31, Connors explains.

"We encourage people to wait and make sure they have all their paperwork together" before compiling the return, she continues.

One way to keep track of the paperwork is to put out a box or envelope for the materials. Then, as W-2s, 1099s and receipts for real estate taxes and charitable gifts arrive, drop them in. "That way you're sort of organized," says Nancy Dahl, partner in Stone Carlie & Co., a Clayton accounting firm.

Or you can be organized all year long. Richard Kraner, a partner at Ernst & Young, a downtown accounting firm, maintains separate file folders for child-care expenses, contributions, payroll stubs and receipts for real estate and other taxes paid during the year. When tax preparation season arrives, "you just pull up the file" and begin filling out the return, he says.

Good records can yield rewards. Cannon, in helping a salesman prepare for an audit last summer, discovered he had not claimed 3,120 business miles on his return, a deduction worth about $780.

By failing to keep good records, taxpayers "most of the time cheat themselves. Uncle Sam is rarely cheated," she says. Good records are especially important when selling a house, a rental property or stock; to calculate the capital gain (or loss) subject to taxation, you will need records showing the purchase and sale prices.

Once your return is completed, IRS spokeswomen suggest setting it aside overnight, maybe as long as two or three days, and then, before stuffing it into the envelope, reviewing it one last time.

"You'd be surprised at the mistakes you find that way," says Kris Zini, spokeswoman in the IRS office in Springfield, Ill.

Common mistakes include the following:

Forgetting to sign the return. The IRS cannot process an unsigned return, so the agency either will return the entire package to you or mail a form requesting your signature.

Failing to attach W-2s. These returns cannot be processed, either.

For taxpayers who owe the IRS money, not attaching the check to the Form 1040.

Math errors.

Writing figures on the wrong lines. Example: Listing unemployment compensation received on line 19, where farm income is reported, instead of on line 20.

Using an incorrect standard deduction. The amount depends on the taxpayer's filing status—for instance, single, married filing jointly or head of household.

Misreading the tax tables. When reading across the tables, many taxpayers jump up or down a line, thus misreading their tax. Zini recommends using a ruler or piece of paper to ensure you find the correct amount.

Misclaiming interest. Only 10 percent of personal interest, that paid on credit cards and car loans, for instance, can be claimed as a deduction against 1990 income, and none can be claimed next year. But investment interest (bank loans that purchase stock) and interest paid on a home-equity loan remain fully deductible, Kraner notes.

Tax-filing season is both an end and a beginning, he says. If you find your records sorely wanting as you close the books on 1990, you can begin 1991 by setting up files and vowing to be a more diligent record-keeper.

John Swistak

GIFT SHOW: Joan Spohr, left, of Pontoon Beach, the owner of Craft Cabin, talks with Janet Reed, a sales representative for Ozark Mountain Crafts, at the St. Louis Area Gift Show, a private trade show held at Collinsville's Gateway Center late this month.

Local military recruiting stable during war

By Dennis R. Heinze
Staff writer

Military recruiting in the St. Louis area generally has been unaffected by the war in the Persian Gulf, officials say.

While there have been more phone calls and infrequent busy days of recruiting, the armed forces have not seen an increase locally in the number of men and women signing up to serve.

"We haven't seen any significant change up or down," said Sgt. Kevin Wilson of the Air Force recruiting for southern Missouri and southern Illinois. "We're just doing business as usual."

It also has been business as usual for Army recruiters. Ann Bild, public affairs officer with the Army recruiting battalion for St. Louis, said recruiting stations throughout the area have not reported an increase in enlistments.

"Since the conflict began, it's been too short a time to measure any changes up or down," Bild said. Though they have received more calls than usual, "that doesn't necessarily translate into recruits," she said.

Phone calls to the Navy's recruiting offices have increased, but they mostly are from parents wanting to know if their son or daughter who is in the Navy will be assigned to the Persian Gulf, said Petty Officer Ed Baker.

"As far as how Desert Storm is affecting our recruiting goals, there is no effect because our goals were set before the crisis," Baker said.

The Marines Corps is the only branch in St. Louis to post any significant jump in recruiting, if only for one or two days.

"Overall for January, the pace has been the same as last January," said Sgt. Maj. Richard Lipa.

However, two days after the war began, 22 young men showed up at recruiting centers throughout Missouri, Lipa said. Usually, three to five people enlist on a daily basis, he said.

"For a weekday, for 22 to show up is really amazing," he said, adding that 18 of those 22 actually enlisted. "I'm sure Desert Storm had something to do with that."

Despite another 12 young men who showed up at enlistment centers throughout Missouri last Thursday, Lipa said the number overall has not increased.

Medicare 'life reserve days' revived

By Bill Hunot
Social Security Administration

Q. Would you please explain the phrase "lifetime reserve days" in Medicare's rules? Does this only apply when you're in the hospital?

A. Lifetime reserve days apply only to long stays in the hospital. Medicare covers the first 90 days you spend in the hospital during a spell of illness or benefit period. But coverage of more than 90 days is limited.

Everybody that goes on Medicare starts with a reserve of 60 days that can be used to get coverage for longer hospital stays. If you're in the hospital for more than 90 days in a benefit period you can extend Medicare coverage by using some of your reserve days.

If you're unlucky enough to have to use them, though, it's expensive. The patient has to pay a co-insurance charge of $296 for each reserve day used.

Although coverage of more than 90 days in a benefit period is limited to the number of reserve days you have left, there is no limit to the number of benefit periods Medicare will cover. Each time you enter the hospital more than 60 days after your last discharge, you start another benefit period with another 90 days of coverage.

Lifetime reserve days did not apply to hospital stays in 1989 because of the Catastrophic Coverage Act. Repeal of Catastrophic Coverage brought them back.

Because of all the changes in coverage this year, everybody on Medicare will receive a new Medicare Handbook in the mail in the next few weeks. Meanwhile, if you have any questions, call Medicare at 800-888-1770.

Q. After my husband died my children and I got Social Security benefits. That's when I was in my 30s. Now I am going to be 60 years old. Will my widow's benefits be reduced because I got Social Security before?

A. Widow's benefits you got while your children were young will not affect benefits you get now. But receiving benefits between age 60 and 65 will result in a permanent reduction in your widow's benefits.

The reduction is figured on the number of months you're younger than age 65 when your benefits start. If you start at age 60 you'll get about 71.5 percent of full benefits.

You must decide whether to take full benefits at age 65 or start early and take a permanent reduction. Other factors to consider include your plans to retire, what your present income needs are and whether you've worked enough to get a Social Security benefit based on your own earnings.

The people at your local Social Security office can give you the information you need to make an informed decision.

Q. My son receives Supplemental Security Income (SSI) checks because he is disabled. He wants to try to work, but he has very high medical expenses. I'm afraid he will lose his Medicaid coverage if he goes back to work. Is it possible for him to work and keep his Medicaid?

A. Social Security guarantees Medicaid coverage of certain SSI recipients. People who have both SSI and Medicaid can work without fear of losing Medicaid until their income is large enough to replace Medicaid coverage.

Although Medicaid is administered by state governments, Social Security decides who qualifies under this special SSI provision.

As long as your son is still disabled and meets all of the requirements to get SSI, not including his income from work, he can keep his Medicaid as long as he needs it.

If his income doesn't exceed $11,715 in 1990, Social Security will assume he needs Medicaid and he will keep it.

If his income exceeds that amount, Social Security may check to see if he still needs Medicaid.

That decision is based on amount of income your son would need to replace SSI payments and the benefits he gets from Medicaid.

This provision is designed to encourage SSI recipients to try working. It's a double benefit to the government when they do — SSI payments are reduced and tax revenues are increased.

Send your questions about Social Security to Bill Hunot, St. Louis News Service, 1215 Fern Ridge Parkway, Suite 108, St. Louis, Mo. 63141.

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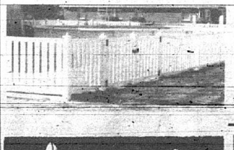

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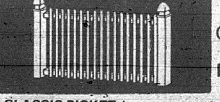

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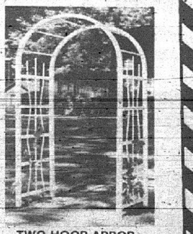

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Busy 1990 cited in airport expansion

By Laura J. Hopper
Staff writer

Fresh from what they call "the second busiest year in airport history," Lambert-St. Louis International Airport officials say the need for expansion is greater than ever.

And they say that need is not lessened by financial troubles plaguing Trans World Airlines, which uses Lambert as its hub airport.

In 1990, about 439,000 planes took off or landed at Lambert, the second-highest total ever for the airport, said spokeswoman Kathy Leonard. The highest total came in 1986 — one year before Ozark Airlines merged with TWA — when about 458,000 takeoffs and landings took place at the airport.

Lambert averaged 83 takeoffs and landings per hour in 1990, Leonard said. In ideal weather conditions, the airport can handle a maximum of 120 such arrivals and departures per hour, she said.

Those figures reinforce the need for expansion of Lambert under the proposed plan, known as "F-4," Leonard said. The plan calls for building four new runways at the airport.

"If we keep growing like we are right now, there's no way those (current) runways will be able to handle all of the airport traffic," Leonard said.

Long delays and frustration for airport passengers would be the result, she said.

The F-4 plan currently is in the hands of the Federal Aviation Administration, which has begun a two-year study of the plan's environmental impact on surrounding neighborhoods.

After completing the study, the FAA will decide whether approve the plan. If the FAA approves F-4, construction on the expansion could begin as early as 1994, Leonard said.

But members of the Bridgeton Air Defense (BAD), a group of residents opposing F-4, question the need for expansion in light of TWA's financial problems.

Last week, TWA conducted its third major layoff since October 1990, temporarily furloughing 1,500 flight attendants nationwide. About 300 of those attendants worked in St. Louis.

TWA officials blame a lack of travel to Europe, due to fears of terrorism sparked by the war in the Persian Gulf, for the airline's declining revenues. The attendants will be recalled when the crisis in the gulf ends, a TWA spokesman said last week.

"If TWA dies, Lambert dies," said John Donnelly, an engineer and a member of BAD. "I just don't think they could find another hub airline," he said, citing the recent folding of Pan-American and Eastern Airlines.

"There just aren't going to be enough airlines to go around, and there are other hub airports more attractive than Lambert," he said.

BAD members oppose F-4 because one of the new runways would extend into Bridgeton, possibly requiring the demolition of several hundred homes.

Leonard said the expansion plan is a must regardless of TWA's fate.

"Expansion is needed if we are to attract any airline as a hub," she said. "It is not in any way related to TWA's health, well-being or existence."

Leonard cited an increase in smaller commuter operations, not major airline travel, as the main reason for the rise in airport flights in 1990. Use of commuter planes was up by 20 percent from 1989, she said.

Donnelly believes that statistic in itself might be cause for concern.

"The only growth came in commuter traffic, which is a small part of Lambert," he said. "It seems that the hub operations of TWA are actually diminishing."

(Staff Photo by Pam Doepke-Hurd)

GETS NEW OFFICERS: Recently elected offices of Coordinated Youth from left Victoria Vasileff, new board member; Bob Vickers, new vice-president; Ron Selph, new president; and Steven Balen, new treasurer. Shirley Blasingame, new secretary, was not present.

Map-making center keeping 'pretty busy'

By Heidi White
Staff writer

About 3,500 area residents have played a particularly important role in Operation Desert Storm, but few are aware that their work is going on.

The federal government's Defense Mapping Agency Aerospace Center straddles the boundary of St. Louis County and the City of St. Louis at 8900 S. Broadway. It provides millions of high-security maps for pilots in the Persian Gulf region.

"In the aerospace center, for the most part, we make international maps and charts for pilots to navigate and perform their missions," said Jim Mohan, the center's chief of public affairs. "We make maps for everything from cargo to airlift to fighter aircraft, and that's basically what we do day in and day out."

Considering the Persian Gulf conflict mainly has been fought in the air, Mohan said the center "has been rather busy."

Mohan said the Defense Mapping Agency as a whole cranked out 35 million maps during the first couple months of Operation Desert Shield. Compare that with an average output of about 50 million maps a year during peacetime.

The Defense Mapping Agency also runs a center in Washington, D.C., which makes topographic and nautical maps for the Army and Navy.

"The Defense Mapping Agency's mission is to make maps for the Department of Defense and the various units of the military," Mohan said.

There are two aerospace mapping centers in St. Louis. In addition to the one on Broadway, there is another center at Second and Arsenal streets near the Anheuser-Busch brewery.

The aerospace center provides maps to all branches of the military.

"Historically, we make maps in support of all flying branches of the service and not only the Air Force. The Army flies helicopters, and the Navy flies fighter aircraft and helicopters also."

In addition to supplying maps to combat jets, the center also prepares maps for support aircraft such as cargo planes, air refuelers and personnel carriers.

Mohan said every one of the 3,500 people who work at the mapping center on Broadway have undergone a security screening before they're hired.

"This is a secured facility and some of the work requires various levels of clearance. Mainly we're a civilian operation."

Mohan said the center gets information for making maps of the Persian Gulf region from a variety of sources, most of which he said he wouldn't divulge.

"Because of the operation right now, I can't go into the sources. We do get some information from pilots and navigators, but that's not our only source."

Mohan said the center's security has been tightened since the war broke out due to the possibility of terrorism.

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Brothers run into each other — in the Gulf

Two brothers' chance meeting in the Saudi Arabian desert is a relief to their parents.

U.S. Marine Chief Warrant Office Steve Acra and U.S. Air Force Reserve Airman 1st Class Jim Acra saw each other Sunday at an undisclosed military base.

The reunion ended hours of anxiety for their parents, Russell and June Acra of Edwardsville.

"I know they're safe," June Acra said. "It's such a scary situation. It was just amazing that they just saw each other like that."

Russell Acra said all he knows about his sons is that they are "somewhere in Saudi Arabia."

"Steve can't tell me where he is, and I don't want to know," Russell Acra said.

Steve Acra, 32, has been in the service for 15 years and is a navigator on a C-130 transport aircraft. He has been flying missions in the Persian Gulf since August.

Jim Acra, 24, who left for the gulf last week, is an emergency medical technician and an Edwardsville volunteer firefighter.

Another son, U.S. Navy Petty Officer Tim Acra, is stationed on a submarine, but his unit has not been called to join Operation Desert Storm.

Steve Acra called his wife, Tina, shortly after the brothers saw each other. Tina Acra passed the word on to her mother-in-law, who in turn passed it on to friends and relatives.

"That's important to know because you can't get hold of them very easily," June Acra said. "They can mail letters to you, but the military said it will take a while for them to get letters from us."

While the Acras are concerned about their sons, they are not dwelling on the constant war coverage.

"The people at Scott Air Force Base told me not to watch all the news," June said. "They told me to go to the video store, rent a couple of videos and pop them in."

—From the Alton Telegraph

Support group for soldiers' relatives

St. Elizabeth Medical Center in Granite City has started a continuing weekly series of group meetings for local relatives of those involved in the Middle East war.

The next meeting will be held Wednesday at 6:30 p.m. in the President's Room at SEMC. The President's Room is located inside Bonaventure's Cafeteria on the ground floor of the medical center, 2100 Madison Ave.

According to Ralpha Hausmann, director of Social Work at SEMC, the group will continue to meet every Wednesday as the Middle East Crisis continues.

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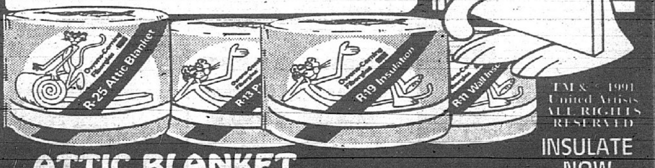

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Williamsburg preserves, salutes black history

At Colonial Williamsburg the veil of time lifts and visitors see Williamsburg, Va., as it was more than two centuries ago. They also are introduced to the residents of Virginia's 18th century capital.

That includes more than a gentry that fancied powdered wigs, craftsmen, shop keepers and other members of the free population. The black history program at the museum village pays tribute to the anonymous blacks who toiled as slaves—the people who cooked the food, planted the gardens, groomed the horses and shaved their masters.

Colonial Williamsburg, which encompasses 173 acres in the historic area of Williamsburg, is widely recognized as the only living history museum that interprets 18th century black history in any comprehensive fashion. Special tours and programs show how a new Anglo-African culture was forged, shedding light on blacks' private lives and their dealings with the white world.

Blacks made up half the population of 18th century Williamsburg but their contributions generally went unrecognized until 1979, when the museum brought attention to them by launching its black history program.

And until the 1960s, when social turmoil and the civil rights movement altered traditional ways of thinking, the study of history focused on famous people like George Washington and Thomas Jefferson and their privileged lifestyle, said Rex Ellis, assistant director for African-American interpretation at Colonial Williamsburg.

"You could find out about 18th century high-back chairs, but you couldn't find out anything about blacks, Indians or women," Ellis said.

The illumination of black history is hindered by lack of physical evidence and written documentation. Much has been passed on orally.

Colonial Williamsburg relies on this oral tradition through its tour guides, character interpreters and African-American music and drama programs. Though opening and closing dates for the different offerings vary, no matter what time of year you visit Colonial Williamsburg you will find some black history interpretive programs. They are at their height in August, however.

The two-hour "Other Half" walking tour runs from mid-March through October. Our "Other Half" guide was Sandra Johnson, a black woman who talked about the slaves' passage from Africa and life in Williamsburg as our small group followed her across the historical area.

Blacks in 18th century Williamsburg were treated better than those who worked on plantations in the countryside, we learned. As Virginia's capital and the site of William and Mary College, the town was quite sophisticated.

Urban blacks were closer to their masters; some learned skilled trades.

Most whites, though, had no slaves, a fact that surprised tour members. Many colonists owned just one or two slaves.

Laws that institutionalized slavery were not passed until the late 1700s. Thus, for many years there were no laws against blacks learning to read. Williamsburg actually had a school for black children.

Our guide discussed the importance of religion, folk tales and music in the lives of black residents. We played some rhythm instruments at the end of the tour.

Other places where visitors to Colonial Williamsburg can learn about black life are Wetherburn's Tavern and the Benjamin Powell House, where costumed interpreters express their feelings about their chores, masters and families. Both programs are held year-round.

At the Powell House, interpretation is done in first-person. During our visit, interpreter Rose Byrd, a Hampton University graduate in mass media arts, played a slave named Rose. In the vegetable garden, she pointed out her lettuce and beets to tourists, who were free to ask her questions. She never broke character.

In the kitchen, another interpreter said, "I'm Nan and I'm the cook."

As she tended a fireplace fragrant with the aromas of bread, beef and onion soup, she said, "We don't eat the same kind of foods the Powells eat. We eat hominy. But we get tired of it so we put in leeks, scallions and ham hocks."

Times, days and opening and closing dates for many of the 1991 black history interpretive programs are in the process of being set. For information, call Colonial Williamsburg's toll-free number, 800-447-8679, and ask for the African-American interpretation and presentation department.

Colonial Williamsburg publishes a weekly schedule of events that visitors may obtain by stopping the Visitors Center.

Colonial Williamsburg offers a "Vacation Planner" that may be obtained by calling its toll-free number, or by writing: Colonial Williamsburg Foundation, P.O. Box C, Williamsburg, Va. 23187.

Randy Mink is a free-lance travel writer from Illinois.

THE BEAT GOES ON throughout the summer when musicians from Colonial Williamsburg's Company of Performers revive music of Africa and 18th century African-America. Black history interpretive programs are held throughout the year at Colonial Williamsburg but are at their peak in August.

America's past returns at Colonial village

Two hundred years ago, Williamsburg nurtured the men and ideals that led the American colonies to declare their independence and create a new nation.

Today, the 18th century capital of Virginia has been restored to its era of greatness. Colonial Williamsburg, which encompasses 173 acres in the historic area of Williamsburg, draws more than a million visitors annually.

With a substantial portion of the original city still in existence after two centuries, Colonial Williamsburg has become a 20th century adventure in restoration. Approximately 90 acres of gardens and public greens provide an authentic setting for the recreated 18th century city.

Costumed historical interpreters, character interpreters and others bring the restored cityscape to life. In crafts shops, craftsmen work at their trades, demonstrating the methods used two centuries ago.

Colonial Williamsburg is open to the public year-round and offers daily activities on varying schedules.

Events also vary seasonally. Winter visitors discover the historic museum community at its most relaxed. Others prefer to view the fresh blossoms of spring; or smell the pungent black gunpowder during a summer muster of the costumed militia company, or trail along behind the fife and drum corps during a Saturday parade. In autumn they may ride in a horse-drawn carriage or enjoy a candlelight concert. Many visit during the holidays to join in the Christmastime activities.

The DeWitt Wallace Decorative Arts Gallery displays some 8,000 English and American antique objects.

A short distance away via the Country Road is Carter's Grove plantation, called "the most beautiful house in America," and the Wolstenholme Towne archaeological site.

Colonial Williamsburg operates four hotel properties including the Five-Star Williamsburg Inn, the Williamsburg Lodge, The Motor House and The Governor's Inn. In addition, guests can opt to stay in a restored or reconstructed private home or tavern in the heart of the restored area. In addition, the Williamsburg area offers more than 9,000 hotel and motel rooms.

To request Colonial Williamsburg's "Vacation Planner," call toll-free 800-447-8679.

Tour to feature 'Italian Splendors'

A trip to Italy designed to attract discriminating travelers who rarely take escorted tours is offered by University of Missouri-St. Louis Continuing Education-Extension.

Participants will experience Italy's wonderful cuisines, magnificent art and medieval hill towns during this two-week adventure. The trip may be taken for two hours credit.

The fourth annual "Splendors of the Italian Countryside" tour will depart St. Louis on June 14 and return June 27.

Travel highlights include first-class and deluxe hotels, dinner in a 12th century monastery; tour of a winery and lunch in a country castle; guided tours of Rome, Orvieto, Assisi, Siena, Florence, Venice and Verona; private parties; and an overnight stay in Stresa, a resort on Lake Maggiore. Ample leisure time will be provided for travelers who wish to explore their own interests.

Total land package cost for this tour is $2,795. Participants also must pay for air fare; tickets will be issued and paid for 60 days prior to the date of travel. For more information or to register, call (314) 553-5961.

Early planning ticket to dream honeymoon trip

When the wedding bells have stopped ringing, newlyweds blissfully depart for their honeymoon dream spots.

Or so the story is supposed to go. The sad fact is, some honeymoons turn into nightmares due to lack of planning. According to the Institute of Certified Travel Agents (ICTA), there is no such thing as "too early" in planning a honeymoon. In fact, it should be the first thing couples do after they have set a date and have reserved whatever facilities are needed for the ceremony and the reception.

Decide what kind of honeymoon is right for you.

Do research into the destination you have chosen. A glance at a brochure is not enough to ensure a happy and successful honeymoon.

Plan well in advance, even a year in advance. This is especially true if couples have their hearts set on some small, out-of-the-way place that might be booked months or even years in advance. Cruise ships, too, can fill up months before their sailing date. Perhaps just as important, planning well in advance allows couples to take advantage of bargains in air fares.

Be clear about the amount of money you are budgeting. Resist the temptation to spend more than you can comfortably afford.

When budgeting, remember there are always unforeseen costs. Taxi fares, local transportation, replacement of small items you forgot to pack.

Whenever possible, pay in advance for transportation and lodging, travel consultants advise.

When making arrangements, or when arriving at your destination, make sure the proprietors of your hotel, ship or resort are aware that you are on your honeymoon. Some may throw in additional amenities.

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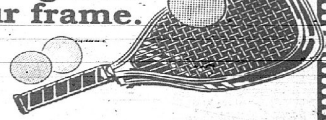

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SLIDING DOWN: Larry Monroe, 8, slides down an ice mound as his friend Ryan Haddix, 10, climbs back to the top. The boys and Monroe's sister, Amy, were sliding down the ice mound in front of Tri-City Tabernacle on the corner of Buenger Boulevard and Maryville Road late Wednesday afternoon.

Birthday celebration draws crowd

Maxine Duniphan covers the Mitchell area for the Press-Record/Journal. She can be contacted at 931-2714.

Maxine Duniphan

Shelly Colbert celebrated her 15th birthday Sunday, Jan. 20, surrounded by family and friends. She was the guest of honor at a party hosted by her parents Tom and Nancy Colbert at their home 665 Chouteau Ave.

Present were Shelly's sister Mendy and her grandparents Jack and Lucy Colbert, Wanda Rinehart. Also attending were Jim and Theresa Kelley and daughter, Jennifer, Jeff and Missy Hickam and son, Tommy, Bob and Pam Rinehart, Ron and Deb Rinehart and children Josh, Ronnie and Sara, John and Pam Maran and children, Amy and Joey, Dan and June Rinehart and sons, Blake and Clay, Christine Kelley and son, Jacob, David and Lisa Badgett, Lisa and Chris Rode, Brenda Holmes and Sheri Devores.

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Several members of the Chouteau Township Senior Citizens Club met Thursday evening at the Township Social Center, 906 N. Thorngate Dr. There the group divided into two groups. One group participated in the Line Dance class being taught by Bea Stenitzer and Cissie Pingel. The other group gathered at the opposite end of building for a craft class being taught by Pauline Hanson. Pauline is teaching the ladies No-sew applique.

The two groups meet on alternate Thursdays. The next meeting will be Jan. 31, at 7 p.m.

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The Jolly Quilters who meet at the Chouteau Township Social Center every Thursday morning, have been unable to meet since the Christmas break due to inclement weather, met Jan. 17. The quilters and a few of the other seniors who join them each Thursday for the fellowship and to assist them with putting the quilts in the frame, and marking them, and making the coffee, were treated to a ham and bean soup dinner, a surprise from Sally and Ferd Segar. Deserts were furnished by Betty McGennis and Emily Jones.

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Clifford and Maxine Duniphan of Chouteau Avenue had her three sisters, Ada Cobourn and her husband, Steve of Springfield, Ill. Eula Beck of St. Louis and Lucy Colbert of Mitchell as guests Sunday. Following dinner the men watched football game and the sisters enjoyed a competitive game of scrabble.

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Members of Faith Chapel General Baptist Church met in the church fellowship hall, 664 Ashland Ave., Saturday evening. There they shared a chili supper and some good old fashioned fellowship.

Diane Gaines, the pastor's wife, received a birthday cake and gifts in honor of her birthday. The group enjoyed sharing the cake and her special day with her.

Registration open for gardening seminar

The Granite City Park District has openings available for a gardening seminar to be conducted on Tuesday, Feb. 19, and Tuesday, Feb. 26, at the Harold Brown Recreation Center, corner of Franklin and Amos.

Both sessions will contain the same material, and each seminar will start promptly at 7 p.m. and end at 9 p.m.

Bill and Leo Schermer from Schermer's Garden Shop will cover Making A Great Lawn. Annuals and perennials will be covered by Gary Bohn from Bohn's Farm in Maryville. Landscaping will be handled by Nancee Kruescheck from Naturescapes in Collinsville. Presenting the information for how to Make Your Garden Special will be Bill Monical, grounds supervisor for the park district.

In addition to answering questions, each of the presentors will have many items of printed material for all participants.

Everyone attending will have an opportunity to talk with the faculty during a special coffee break.

Cost for each of the seminars is $6 per person for residents of the park district, and $10 for non-residents. Fees cover the cost of printed information and the coffee break. Fees are due upon registration. Reservations are being accepted at the Wilson Park office.

Free tax help for elderly

Anyone 60 years of age or older is eligible to receive help with income tax returns at no charge through the American Association of Retired Persons (AARP).

Tax counselors will be available at Granite City Moose Club 272, 19th and Benton entrance, Granite City, on Tuesdays and Fridays, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. from Feb. 1 through April 15. Help is also available on Wednesdays from 12:30 p.m. to 3 p.m. at the Granite City branch library on Johnson Road.

Interested tax payers should bring with them the following: their 1989 tax return, the 1990 tax package received in the mail, W-2 or W-2P forms, 1099 forms, Social Security statement, and any other income or expense information, including Illinois real estate tax paid in 1990.

Last year 417 inquiries were handled by locally trained counselors.

No appointments were required.

MORTGAGE BURNING: Officials from St. Gregory's Armenian Community Center celebrate paying off their mortgage Saturday by burning it. From left are Naz Donjoian, Andrew Hagopian, Robert Parsaghian and Vasken (Buck) Haroian. The center had a 20-year mortage and paid it off in four years. Officials say they plan to build a new church adjacent to the community center. Groundbreaking is scheduled for the first week in August.

United Way celebrates

A victory luncheon celebrating Tri-Cities Area United Way's first million dollar fund drive will be held Thursday, Feb. 21, from noon to 1:30 p.m. at Wesley Hall in the Niedringhaus United Methodist Church, 20th and Delmar.

The annual meeting and election of new board members and officers will immediately follow lunch.

Cost of the luncheon is $5.50 per person and guests are welcome.

Tickets should be reserved by calling United Way, 877-6780.

PWP meeting on third Wednesday

The general meeting of the local Parents Without Partners chapter is held the third Wednesday of each month at 7:30 p.m. at the Disabled American Veterans Hall on 19th Street in Granite City.

PWP is an international non-profit, non-sectarian, educational organization devoted to the welfare of single parents and their children.

You are eligible for PWP if you are a single parent of a living child and are single because of death, divorce, separation or never having married.

All single parents and grandparents are cordially invited. For more information, call President Dale McCarthy at 797-2660; Dolores Cunningham, 931-2427; Beverly Burns, 877-5006.

Local man honored

Dr. Ronald G. Trimmer of Granite City recently received an ASAP (Accomplished Skillfully and Promptly) Award from the Defense Mapping Agency Aerospace Center.

This award is given to Aerospace Center employees who perform beyond expectations in an assignment of short duration demanding quick action.

Located in St. Louis, the Defense Mapping Agency Aerospace Center provides worldwide mapping support for the Department of Defense. Its aerospace products are used in flights of all military aircraft, training in aircraft simulators, missile guidance systems and manned space missions.

High school to present Anne Frank

The speech department of Granite City High School will present the winter play, "The Diary of Anne Frank", on Thursday, Feb. 7, and Friday, Feb. 8.

This award-winning drama by Frances Goodrich and Albert Hackett will be directed by F. Gordon Mueller, speech and drama instructor at the high school. Beverley Scroggins will be the technical director and the set designer.

Curtain will be at 7:30 p.m. in the high school auditorium, and all seats are $2. Tickets are on sale in the cafeteria during the lunch hours and will be sold at the door. Activity tickets are good for this production.

"The Diary of Anne Frank" cast includes: Anne Frank, Jennifer Frand; Mr. Frank, Nick McLaren; Mrs. Frank, Winona Mefford; Margot Frank, Alicia Skirball; Mr. Van Daan, Tom Kinder; Mrs. Van Daan, April Polivick; Peter Van Daan, Dustin Wilkinson; Mr. Dussel, Don Goss; Miep, Erin Rotter; and Mr. Kraler, Myk Delgado.

Student assistants to the director are: Gina Hankins and Greg Weekman.

The play is based on the posthumous book, "Anne Frank: The Diary of a Young Girl", a record of a young girl's life while hiding with her family in Amsterdam before the Nazi conquerors of the Netherlands herded them off to a German concentration camp.

"The Diary of Anne Frank" was an award-winning motion picture in 1959, and later a successful TV-movie in 1980.

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Church planning adventure

In a culture and society where discipline of any type is a rare commodity, members of Bethel Evangelical Free Church, 2450 Stratford Lane, will be committing themselves to a series of spiritual disciplines during the upcoming Lenten season.

Led by the Rev. Steven Hurd, the Spiritual Adventure is titled "50 Days to Welcome Christ to Our Church". The Adventure is sponsored by the national radio broadcast "Chapel of the Air" and will run from Feb. 10 to March 31 (Easter Sunday).

Participants in the program will commit themselves to follow five basic disciplines of the Christian faith for the entire 50 days. Since it takes about 21 days to form a habit, the program is designed to give participants opportunity to make progress in their Christian life and measure their spiritual growth.

Each year The Chapel of the Air sponsors a different Spiritual Adventure, but each Adventure maintains the same ultimate goal: helping people experience accelerated spiritual growth through a time of intense Bible study, prayer and outreach.

Last year more than 175,000 adults and young people received Adventure journals through The Chapel of the Air, whose radio broadcast is heard locally each Monday through Friday at 9:45 a.m. over station WCBW — 104.9 FM. Programs aired in February and March will be directly related to the Adventure.

Adventure participants at Bethel Evangelical Free Church will receive a personal journal, which contains Scripture readings, weekly assignments and a place to record daily progress. This year's Spiritual Adventure lists five disciplines:

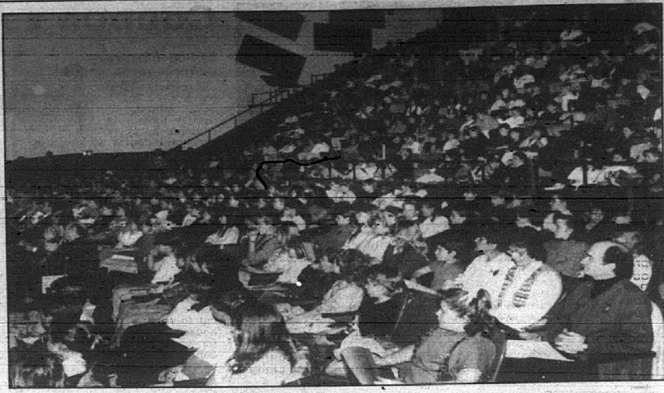
1. "Prepare Your Heart for Meaningful Worship." Participants will prepare for the Sunday worship services by focusing on specific qualities or attributes of God.

2. "Respond as Christ Speaks Powerfully through His Written Word." Adventurers will answer daily study questions to help them apply the truths of the Bible to their everyday lives.

3. "Reverse a Self-Destructive Pattern." Participants, sensing Christ's ability to help them overcome self-destructive patterns through involving thoughts, actions and deeds, will learn to institute some "quality control" in their behavior. They will chart and analyze their behavior and plan strategies to deal with a specific self-destructive pattern.

4. "Encourage Others through Seven Secret Acts of Christian Love." Adventurers will carry out anonymous deeds of Christ-like love toward both fellow parishioners and those outside the church.

5. "Gain Freedom from What Others Think." Participants will pray regularly for God to remove the inordinate need for approval from others.



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353 GRADUATE from DARE program. Sixth grade students of Frohardt, Lake, Marshall, Maryville and Parkview elementary schools gather at the Granite City High School auditorium Jan. 16 for ceremonies marking their graduation from the Drug Abuse Resistance Education program. At left, DARE Officer Walter Milton presents Tawnya Turner of Lake Elementary School with her diploma from the DARE program.

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Essay contest asks youngsters who is their 'Favorite Neighbor'

All students in seventh and eighth grades at Grigsby Junior High School, Coolidge Junior High School, Holy Family Catholic School, and St. Elizabeth's School are invited to enter an American Home Week essay contest conducted by the Granite City Board of Realtors, Barbara Wyatt, board president, has announced.

According to Wyatt, the contest theme for this year's contest is "My Favorite Neighbor." Entrants are asked to interpret this topic in 750 words or less. Individuals are asked to write about an Illinois resident who exhibits the characteristics of a neighbor who demonstrates pride for the property and neighborhood in which they reside, and spirit for community involvement, in addition to other attributes of good citizenship.

The contest is held in conjunction with American Home Week, April 14 to 20, an annual event sponsored by the Illinois Association of Realtors statewide.

Three local winners will be selected. First prize will be $50; second prize $35 and third prize will be $15. The first place local winner will be submitted to the Illinois Association of Realtors. IAR will then select the three best essays from those received throughout the state, awarding a $1,000, $500 and $250 savings bond to winners.

In addition, a statewide "Neighbor of the Year" will be chosen from the first place winning essay in the statewide contest. Essays will be judged on good grammar, organization, creativity, originality of thought and theme expression.

"Rules for the contest are being publicized in the school(s). Deadline for entries is March 15, 1991, and local winners will be announced on April 15, 1991," Wyatt said.

Military

Michael Huffaker

Michael L. Huffaker has been promoted in the U.S. Air Force to the rank of master sergeant.

Huffaker is a pavements maintenance supervisor at Minot Air Force Base, N.D.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Huffaker of Granite City.

The sergeant is a 1974 graduate of Granite City High School.

Charles Krohne

Air Force Reserve Sgt. Charles E. Krohne recently completed the clinical training portion of the medical service specialist career field at Keesler Air Force Base, Miss.

The clinical phase gave advanced instruction in various specialities of the nursing and health-care career field. The course was designed to give students as much exposure to actual patient care settings as possible prior to their first duty assignment.

The course allowed students to expand knowledge gained from the initial phase taught at Sheppard Air Force Base, Texas, which included anatomy, physiology, interpersonal relationships, emergency medical treatment, processes of illnesses and nursing technologies.

Krohne is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold E. Krohne of Granite City.

The sergeant is a 1984 graduate of Granite City Senior High School.

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Sgt. Barton is honored

Sgt. First Class Terry L. Barton Sr. of Belleville, formerly of Mitchell, has receive the sixth award of the Good Conduct Medal.

Barton is the son of Golden C. Barton of Mitchell and the late Doris J. Barton.

He is presently working the crisis action team at Scott Air Force Base in support of Operation Desert Shield.

An Open Letter To Tri-City Residents

January 24, 1991

Fellow Tri-City Residents:

I thank the many people who have called to express their loyalty and concern about recent articles relating to suspension of my embalming and funeral director licenses. I assured them, as I assure each of you, **Thomas Mortuaries will continue providing caring, competent and compassionate funeral services for many, many years. The action was against me personally, not against Thomas Mortuaries.**

I have appealed this suspension and fully expect the Circuit Court to overturn it and restore these licenses to me. But I feel I must explain to my friends, my fellow Tri-City residents and those who have been so loyal to Thomas Mortuaries throughout these many years how and why this all came about.

I want again to assure everyone that **Thomas Mortuaries will continue to provide caring, compassionate service without interruption, regardless of eventual outcome of this matter.**

The allegations that led to my suspension date back to 1986 and had nothing to do with the manner in which Thomas Mortuaries or myself conduct funeral services. **The allegations that led to my suspension were not brought by any of our customers, all were brought by my competitor Randall Irwin and were totally technical in nature.**

Two allegations dealt with who signed documents and the others dealt with who transferred bodies from death sites to our mortuaries. At the time I was alleged to have violated them, the rules governing these actions was extremely vague and subject to many interpretations.

I have lived with you in our community all of my life and have come to know you and respect your sense of fairness. I know you will see this for what it is, a desperate attempt by a competitor to eliminate competition.

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Coupons saved users $3.5 billion in 1990

By Roger McGrath
Correspondent

Parkway West High School teacher Nancy Daus illustrates how coupons can stretch the family food budget by sending students enrolled in her "senior survival" course to the grocery store. Their assignment: Collect the ingredients for a nutritious meal for five—on $5.

When they return, they've learned a lesson about the value of couponing and "they no longer laugh at their mother or father, the coupon clipper," she notes.

Coupons are no laughing matter. Coupon users saved about $3.5 billion in 1990, according to statistics kept by Nielsen Clearing House (NCH), a handler of redeemed coupons. That works out to savings of $400 to $800 per household a year, enough to pay for vacation air fare, a personal computer for the family, even a new washing machine.

"Coupon-using families save 8 percent on their weekly grocery bills with cents-off coupons," NCH's Jane Perrin says. With double couponing, the practice where grocers double the value of a coupon, those savings can top $1,000 a year.

"Coupons are one of the most basic cost-saving opportunities available to consumers," the senior vice president of marketing says. With recession and rising unemployment, she says, "More than ever, cents-off coupons add up to dollars and sense for the American consumer."

Coupon redemption has increased in recessions past, says William Dorn, vice president in National Super Markets' St. Louis office.

Still, the number redeemed is small. Of the 276 billion—that's billion with a "b"—distributed last year, about 2.6 percent actually were used, reports Chicago-based NCH.

Coupons are especially popular with new-product introductions, says Mark Shevitz, president of SJI Inc., a promotions firm. They "are the quickest, least expensive" way to get consumers to try a product, he says.

Packaged goods marketers also like coupons because they "cut through the clutter," the forest of advertising that beckons consumers every day, says Patrick Farrell, spokesman for Ralston Purina Co.

To help cut the clutter (at 276 billion, or 2,540 per family, you could make a good case that coupons add to the clutter), manufacturers have been boosting coupons' face value. In 1989, the average coupon was worth 49.2 cents, an increase of 8.6 percent over 1988.

Coupons apparently do cut the clutter: 77 percent of U.S. households use coupons, NCH says. And usage is directly related to annual income and the weekly grocery bill:

Families who spend up to $30 a week at the grocery store redeem, on average, four coupons per week; those who spend $31 to $40 redeem six; $41 to $60 redeem seven; $61 to $90 use eight coupons; $91 to $100 redeem nine; and those spending more than $100 on average, use 10 coupons.

Families earning less than $10,000 a year redeem an average of six coupons a week; households earning $10,000 to $20,000 use seven; $20,000 to $25,000 use nine; $25,000 to $30,000 use seven; $30,000 to $50,000 redeem eight; and more than $50,000 redeem nine per week.

Surveys have found that two-income families are less likely to spend tim e clipping coupons. "The time (spent clipping) is more expensive than the savings, so the time isn't taken," says Larry Obenchain, consumer education teacher at Belleville Township High School West.

He has heard that from students and learned it from personal experience. When his wife worked, neither he nor she spent much time cutting out coupons, he says.

"If you've got the time and take the time, there's a lot of money to be saved," another personal lesson he brings to the classroom, Obenchain says. "My wife saves a lot of money with coupons."

The key to stretching the food budget is to only redeem coupons for products the family normally eats, advises Daus, a home economics teacher at Parkway West High School. She also tells students they need to be flexible. If they prefer Brand X but have a coupon that makes a comparable item, say Brand Y, less expensive, then drop Brand Y into the grocery cart.

In fact, coupon users are not very brand loyal, Dorn says.

That's one reason Shevitz, who wrote his master's thesis on couponing, predicts changes in couponing's future. For example, more coupons will have short expiration da tes, perhaps as brief as 60 days, while others will be "enhanced" by being made part of match-and-win games and other promotions designed to bring traffic into grocery stores.

In the long run, coupons actually cost consumers money, Shevitz says. Payments to grocers—the current standard is eight cents per coupon—and to the fulfillment houses, such as NCH, can amount to one-half of a coupon's face value.

Over the long term, it just raises the price of products as manufacturers build the cost of couponing into their prices, he says.

LION HONORED: Jeanne Lane, right, of the Lions Eye Bank, on behalf of the Missouri Lions Eye Research Foundation, presents their Visionary Service Award to Lion Ed Werner for outstanding efforts in eye preservation. Werner joined the Pontoon Beach Lions Club in 1984 and has served as sight conservation chairman for five years. During this time he has been trained to perform eye enucleations and to date his efforts have helped 200 people to regain their sight. Werner's wife, Barbara, also performs eye enucleations. The couple is believed to be the only husband and wife team performing this vital service in the bi-state region. More donations to the Lions Eye Bank are urgently needed.

Divorces

The following Quad City area residents have had marriages dissolved in the Madison County Circuit Court:

David P. Dabrowski, 24, and Christine (Phillips) Dabrowski, 22, both of Granite City, married Oct. 8, 1986.

Robert G. Gulley, 20, of Madison and Rose M. (Furtak) Gulley, 20, of Granite City, married May 12, 1989.

Nelson R. Warnecke, 46, and Chrystal L. (David) Warnecke, 46, both of Granite City, married July 8, 1965.

Richard Boatman Jr., 29, of Granite City and Ann (Price) Boatman, 27, of Collinsville, married July 21, 1984.

James Griffin, 30, of Granite City, and Patricia (Cannon) Griffin, 30, of Collinsville, married Sept. 16, 1989.

Timothy Hill, 33, of Granite City and Paula (Jones) Hill, 29, married June 10, 1978.

Marshall V. Curtis, 19, and Angie K. (Wood) Curtis, 19, both of Granite City, married Aug. 22, 1987.

Thomas Hogue, 43, of Madison and Barbara (Kane) Hogue, 36, of Alton, married Jan. 28, 1982.

Council of Seniors to meet

The Granite City Council of Seniors will have an afternoon of games and pinochle on Feb. 3 at the Township Hall, 2060 Delmar. Doors will open at 1 p.m. and games start at 2 p.m. No transportation available this date. Refreshments will be served.

"Renewal of membership for 1991 will be accepted and are also being accepted daily at the Senior Office from 9 to 1 p.m. The Council welcomes mew members.

The number to call for any questions or further information is 877-1215.

Sean McIlroy baptized Dec. 16

Sean Ryan McIlroy, 13-month-old son of Army Sgt. and Mrs. Eric McIlroy, was baptized on Dec. 16 at Christ Church Cathedral, St. Louis. The baptism service was conducted by the Very Rev. J.C. Michael Allen, dean of the Cathedral and the Rev. Priscilla Allen, Canon pastor. Dana Travis and Lori McIlroy were the godparents.

Sean was born on Nov. 1, 1989, in Nuernberg, Germany, where his father was stationed with the U.S. Army. The family returned to the states on Nov. 23.

The maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Travis of Pontoon Beach. The paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. George McIlroy of Granite City.

An open house was held in Sean's honor at the Travis home. Special guests were the great-grandparents, Mrs. Florence Harger of Edwardsville and Shelby Travis of Granite City.

Other guests included Mr. and Mrs. Jim Moore and son Scotty, Mr. and Mrs. David Stutz and daughter Amanda, Monica McIlroy, Karen Kaminski, Randy Long, Jeff Warren, Jerome Boyer and daughters Leah and Jessica, Rena Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Summerville and daughter Lauren, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Millard, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Slate Sr. Mrs. Dorothy Cramer, Janet Jones, Mrs. Wilma Jones, Mrs. Charlene Riggins and daughter Emily, Mr. and Mrs. Brian Dodson and daughter Jessica, Mr. and Mrs. Darryl Collins, Marcia Walker and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Biason.

Out of town guests included Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Harger and children Cindy and Curt, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Schubert, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Schubert and children Cameron and Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. Bret Schubert, Craig Schubert, Mrs. Linda Rawizza, Kelly Schubert and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Payne, all from the St. Louis area.

Also attending were Mr. and Mrs. Michael Curry and daughter Danelle of Indianapolis and Mike McIlroy of Virden, Ill.

Food for the event was catered by Gary McIlroy.

Allen Charbonnier Sr. honored

Allen Charbonnier Sr. was honored recently on the occasion of his 70th birthday at a party at Wade and Hazel Rollins' Clubhouse in Pontoon Beach. The party was hosted by his wife, Edith and children: Mr. and Mrs. James (Barbara) Dickerson and Mr. and Mrs. Allen (Charlotte) Charbonnier Jr.

Also attending the celebration were: Mr. and Mrs. Larry (Tammy) Birkner and sons Spencer and Ross, Tina Dickerson and Michelle Charbonnier, grandchildren of the honoree.

Other guests included: Mr. and Mrs. Bill (Marilyn) Laycock and children Leslie and Billy, Jimmy Martinez, Ernest Laycock, Nancy Earney, Kim Wilson, Mr. William Charbonnier of Lake St. Louis, Mo. and Doris Hannah of Hazelwood, Mo., Mr and Mrs. Allen (Carol) Miller of Lake St. Louis, Mo., Mr. and Mrs. Robert (Ollie) Conway, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon (Ann) Vasquez, Mr. and Mrs. Joe (Carol) Groblenick, Mr. and Mrs. Jack (Katie) Kruegel, Mr. and Mrs. Halden (Pat) Ralls, Jaime Wesbrook and Kristy Ball.

Granite City Elkettes to meet

The first meeting of the 1991 year of the Granite City Elkettes will be held Tuesday, Feb. 2, starting at 6:30 p.m., with a potluck dinner.

It will be the inaugural meeting of the women at the new Elks' Lodge, 1063, on Maryville Road.

Joyce Albers, Elkettes' president, has announced that the women of the Elks and their friends are planning trips to the Fox Theatre in St. Louis early in March and May.

The first theater trip, March 3, will be a matinee performance of "Grand Hotel" and tickets are $30 per person. The musical "Ziegfield" will be presented on May 4 and will cost $29.90 per person.

At the potluck dinner, members will be asked to pay for their tickets to the pair of shows by check or cash.

Albers has also announced that the Elkettes' annual spaghetti dinner, an all you can eat affair, will be held Saturday, Feb. 23 in the Elks' new dining room. She says that the club has ample parking at the location on Maryville Road.

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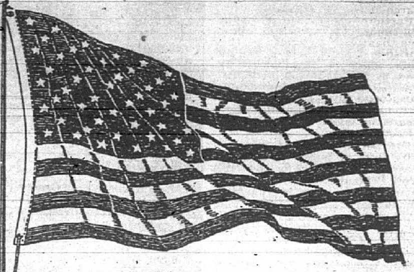

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Obituaries

Frank Shevcik

Shevcik

Frank J. Shevcik, 87, of Granite City died at 12:20 p.m. Monday, Jan. 28, 1991, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center. He had been in the hospital 19 days and ill one month.

Born Jan. 10, 1904, in Palestine, Texas, he was a lifelong resident of Granite City.

Mr. Shevcik worked for Granite City Steel as a tin sorter for 20 years, and worked for the New York Central Railroad as a watchman for many years, retiring from the former Sacred Heart Catholic Church as a custodian in 1970. He was a member of the Holy Family Catholic Church, Granite City.

Survivors include his wife, Florence (Carron) Shevcik, whom he married Feb. 24, 1927; two sons, Richard R. Shevcik of Troy, Ill., and Ralph Shevcik of Granite City; one daughter, Patsy A. Mulcahy of St. Louis County; five grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents, John and Emilie (Kaur) Shevcik, and one grandson, Kenneth R. Shevcik.

Visitation will be held from 4 to 8 p.m. today (Wednesday) at Irwin Chapel, 3960 Maryville Road. A funeral Mass will be celebrated at 9 a.m. Thursday at Holy Family Catholic Church, 26th Street and Washington Avenue, by the Rev. Tom Wise. Burial will be at Calvary Cemetery near Edwardsville.

The family suggests Masses and donations to the church.

Fournie

Elizabeth Otilla (Kiefer) Fournie, 79, of Collinsville died at 8:30 a.m. Saturday, Jan. 26, 1991, at Eden Village Care Center, Edwardsville.

She was a member of Sts. Peter and Paul Catholic Church in Collinsville, the Altar and Rosary Society, the Illinois Vegetable Growers Association and the American Association of Retired Persons.

Born in Illinois on April 11, 1911, she is survived by three sons, Robert Fournie of Collinsville, James F. Fournie of Granite City and Leroy Fournie of Troy; two daughters, Laverne Fournie of Collinsville and Rosemarie Rupprecht of Collinsville; three brothers, Leopold and Henry Kiefer, both of Dahigren, Ill., and Albert Kiefer of St. Louis; three sisters, Mary Ann Karcher and Lucille Karcher, both of Dahigren, and Olivia Karcher of Mount Vernon; 13 grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Xavier and Frances (Roesch) Kiefer; her husband, Leroy Joseph Fournie; and one sister.

Visitation and Rosary took place Monday at Herbert A. Kassly Funeral Home in Collinsville. A funeral Mass was held Tuesday at Sts. Peter and Paul Catholic Church in Collinsville. Burial was in Holy Cross Cemetery, Fairview Heights.

Memorials are suggested for the Sts. Peter and Paul Altar and Rosary Society.

Wilkerson

Leslie Wilkerson, 73, of Granite City died at 3 a.m. Tuesday, Jan. 29, 1991, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center.

Funeral arrangements for Mr. Wilkerson are pending at Irwin Chapel, 3960 Maryville Road, Granite City, 931-8000.

Sullivan

Katherine Sullivan, 82, of Chesterfield, Mo., died Sunday, Jan. 27, 1991.

Born March 8, 1908, in Yugoslavia, she retired in 1970 as an inspector for Reynolds Metal Co. in St. Louis.

Survivors include her cousins, Mrs. Frank (Rose) Ratay of Belleville, Steve Vargo of Millstadt, Joseph Vargo of Highland and Steve Horvath of Granite City; and a godchild, Joseph Vargo of Millstadt.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Robert John L. Sullivan, who died Oct. 24, 1971, and by cousins Mary Ancer and Julia Ingersoll.

Visitation was held Tuesday with a wake vigil at Kassly Colonial Mortuary, 9900 St. Clair Ave, Fairview Heights, from where a funeral procession will leave at 9:30 a.m. today (Wednesday) to go to Immaculate Conception Church in Centreville for a 10 a.m. Mass, with the Rev. Alan Ruppert officiating. Burial will be at Mount Carmel Cemetery, Belleville.

Mark Voss

Mark S. Voss, 32, of Granite City died at 10:30 p.m. Friday, Jan. 25, 1991, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center in Granite City.

An inquest will be held to determine the cause of death.

Born Aug. 6, 1958, in St. Louis, he was a lifelong resident of Granite City. He was employed at Granite City Steel for 12 years in the blast furnace department.

Survivors include his parents, Earl and Catherine (Aschenbrenner) Voss of Granite City; one brother, Rickie Voss of Roodhouse, Ill.; one sister, Mrs. Jim (Sandra) Frangoulis of Granite City; and two grandmothers, Mrs. Ruby Voss of Granite City and Mrs. Mary Aschenbrenner of St. Louis.

Funeral services were held Tuesday at Irwin Chapel, Granite City, with the Rev. Casey Kicmal officiating. Burial was at Calvary Cemetery near Edwardsville.

Elton Kilmer

Elton Leon Kilmer, 78, of Granite City died at 6 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 26, 1991, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center in Granite City.

He was born Aug. 16, 1912, in Murphysboro, Ill., and was a lifelong resident of the Granite City area.

Kilmer retired from Trailmobile Trailer Repair of St. Louis in 1975 after 30 years as a welder. He was a member of the Kingdom Hall, Jehovah's Witnesses, in Granite City.

Survivors include three sons, Floyd Elton Kilmer of Auburndale, Fla., and Ronald Ray Kilmer and Floyd Eldon Kilmer, both of Granite City; a brother, Emmett Kilmer of Farmington, Mo.; and four grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Leona, who died on Feb. 11, 1988, and by his parents, William H. and Ora Bell (Greenhall) Kilmer.

Services were held Tuesday at Davis Funeral Home, Granite City, with the Rev. Angelo Bruno officiating. Burial was at Sunset Hill Memorial Estates in Edwardsville.

Cornstubble

Ronald S. Cornstubble, 52, of Millstadt died Thursday, Jan. 24, 1991, at his residence.

A construction worker, he was a member of Teamsters Local 50 and had served in the Marine Corps.

Survivors include a son, Ronald W. Cornstubble of Pontoon Beach; one brother, Don Cornstubble of Belleville; three sisters, Ruby Gould of Cahokia, Pauline Gould of Warren, Mich., and Betty Schmittling of Belleville; and two grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Paul and Irene (Yawberry) Cornstubble, and two sisters.

Visitation was held Saturday and Sunday at Kassly Colonial Funeral Home, Fairview Heights, where services were conducted Monday by the Rev. Randy Davis. Burial was at Lake View Memorial Gardens, Belleville.

•Problems

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is damaging the foundations of area homes.

"Our children are late for school because of the trains holding the bus up 45 to 50 minutes at a time," according to Patrick. She said the problem is neither new nor rare.

"The switching track is tearing up the foundation of my home. When I moved into that house, I knew the railroad tracks were there and the trains went by ... and I was willing to accept that. But they put the switching track in. There are times when I have to get up at 4 a.m. because my whole house shakes."

Regarding Feralloy, Patrick said the trucks delivering to and from the plant are destroying roads and the homes along Nameoki Drive.

"The trucks coming down the street are tearing up the houses and foundations ... and we just can't stand that.

"Who signed the permit that allowed Feralloy to go down our street? Why would you let a truck with steel coils go down Nameoki Drive? Why can't we build a road behind Feralloy going out (to Illinois Route 3)?" she asked.

John A. Hirt, Feralloy general manager, has responded that the company employs 50 persons and "is proud to be a productive and responsible member of the Granite City community."

Patrick said she felt that tax revenue received from the railroad and from Feralloy was being appropriated for use in other area of the city, and would be better used to correct some of the ills caused by those businesses.

Patrick concluded by saying, "The residents of North Granite have been neglected. We're tired of it. We have formed our own committee, and we are going to stay on it as long as it takes to get things done."

Partney responded by saying the city is paying now "for the ills that were done in the past. Feralloy was (established in) 1981. The switching yard was (installed) approximately five years ago."

Partney asked the council to pass a resolution, to be drawn up by City Attorney Mark Goldenberg, to "put the railroad on notice of the dangerous condition and financial impact on the North Granite area that they are causing through the operation of the switch yard.

"The city has been wrestling with the problem of the railroad for several years now," Partney said. "It's like trying to pull teeth to get something done.

"We've tried at the local level, and unfortunately in an unsatisfactory manner. I think if all the council members up here could see the problems the people of North Granite have experienced ... due to the railroads and the damage to their property, especially along the switch yards; due to their children in some instances actually being late for school.

"And in another case a school bus almost turned over the other day when it was blocked by a train. It had to back up and in the process it ran into a ditch. The only thing that kept it from turning over was a pole," Partney said.

"The people out there have every right to be upset," according to Partney. "The tax base the people of North Granite pay is not cheap by any stretch of the imagination.

"It is an area that has an immense amount of problems. Hopefully, this council will see fit — if we get the area qualified for community development funds — to appropriate the necessary funds in that area to resolve some of the ills that we do have out in the North Granite area," Partney concluded.

A motion by Partney, seconded by Brown, to have Goldenberg draw up a resolution regarding the railroad passed unanimously.

Efforts to reach Norfolk & Southern were unsuccessful.

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with a fur collar, a dark blue slipover shirt, and light gray pants.

He was driving a medium blue 1991 Chevrolet Lumina four-door station wagon, with Illinois license plates OA4392.

Persons with any information as to Kirksey's whereabouts are urged to contact Schardan at 987-9027 or 877-6111.

•Women

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Letters of nomination should be legibly written or typed and include the nominee's full name, address and phone number, along with information on her achievements. Those making the nomination also should include their own name, address and phone number.

Letters of support from an organization which a nominee serves are beneficial but are not required.

The elaborateness of a presentation or the number of nominations a woman receives will have no bearing on whether or not she is chosen as a Woman of Achievement.

Letters of nomination should be mailed to: Women Of Achievement Committee, Suburban Journals, 1714 Deer Tracks Trail, St. Louis, 63131.

Those selected will join a list of exceptional women who serve as role models to all women. Last year's Women of Achievement and the fields they represented are: Helen Delicate, social responsibility; Johann Ellerbrake, health; Sister Raymond Joseph Cordes, education; Joy Rice Dunkelman, senior adult services; Ailene Auner, humanitarian concern; Judy Crowell, youth dedication; Dudley Grove, volunteer services; Virginia Stith, historic preservation; Joyce Thomas, civic responsibility; and Dorothy St. Clair, community service.

K. of C. Ladies Auxiliary dines, exchanges gift for 'holiday'

Christmas in January was the theme of the annual Dinner Party held at the Knights of Columbus Hall.

Social hostess Helen DeRuntz, along with officers Catherine Ponce, Irene Feeler, Theresa Straubinger, Bonnie Bronnbauer and Cleo Schnefke, decorated the tables in red and white with Christmas centerpieces and red candles.

After the dinner, gifts were exchanged and games were played.

A short business meeting was held with Catherine Ponce, president, presiding. Donations were made to Catholic Charities, and the DARE Program, and a monetary gift sent to seminarian Donald Gibbons, who the auxiliary is sponsoring.

A new member, Olga Mink, was given the obligation and accepted into the auxiliary.

A Past President Award plaque was presented to Cleo Schnefke for her two years of service as auxiliary president.

Application for membership for Karin Ashal was read. Everyone was reminded to pay their dues.

Also among the 35 attending were Helen Giezelman, Frances Bury, Florence Kierski, Jay Kohn, Connie Wheeler, Dee Fechte, Mary Bellue, Dee Scaturro, Olga trtan, Olga Mink, Margaret Moseley, Barbara Bonnbauer.

Rosalee Bronnbauer, Frances Robbers, Jean Stanfill, Gladys Koisher, Irene Scheider, Goldie Coleman, Marie and Diane Mason, Barbara Hadly, Emelie Gibbs, Dora Deane Evans, Ann Vasiloff, Betty Gac, Dorothy Scharden, Annalese Gyramati; Cecelia Mance, and guest, Karin Ashal.

The next regular meeting will be held on Feb. 19 at 7:30 p.m.

•Honored

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doing this," 2nd Ward Alderman John Henry Williams said, motioning toward mounds of chopped ice removed from the sidewalk.

A section of about 300 feet of sidewalk was completely cleared of ice and snow. Neighbors could walk freely from house to house without slipping and sliding.

"Did you see what they did with the storm sewer drains?" Williams asked.

At each corner of the block at Sixth Street, patches of thick ice had been chopped and the drain openings cleared of debris, allowing melting ice and snow or rainwater to enter the storm sewer.

"These guys do this all year round. They're always out here working and cleaning things up," Williams said.

"If you'd ask them to get me some chicken wire, Mr. Alderman, we'd put some screens over there to catch that stuff," Boyd said, pointing to the drain openings. He had already put some screening across one of the openings.

"When there was a lot of water standing out here, Pop came and got me and said, 'Let's clear this mess up,' " Dorste said.

"My wife couldn't even get out to her car, the water was so bad there," Boyd noted, gesturing along the block.

Williams was so impressed by his three hale and hardy constituents that he decided to publicly thank them and give each a memento of the occasion.

Each received an inscribed trophy from Williams and a certificate of appreciation from Ruby Jackson, Democratic precinct committeeman.

"They really deserve this and more," Williams said.

•Miller

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said he is proud of the accomplishments of the city over the last four years. He said that, if he had been opposed, he planned on running on his record.

"The commercial gains of the city over the last four years ... show we have a cooperative city government. We have shown we can get things done for the betterment of Granite City.

"And I think that progress can continue."

Homemakers meet on each first Tuesday

The Granite City Unit, Madison County Homemakers Extension Association, meets at noon, on the first Tuesday of each month at Nameoki Presbyterian Church, 1700 Pontoon Road.

For information contact Florence Stokes, president, 877-6491, or Vincene Zerlan, public relations, 876-7026.

Births policy

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Flower Show will bring bright note to area's harsh winter

By Mary Schirmer
Correspondent

Sick of winter?

Think spring — specifically, spring blossoms — and head downtown Jan. 31 through Feb. 3 when Kiel Exhibition Hall, 1400 Market Street, will burst into bloom with the St. Louis Flower Show, the first major flower show here in 40 years.

The show, organized by the Junior League of St. Louis, will feature 16 life-size floral gardens, numerous boutiques, seminars, family workshops and crafts for children.

"The tricky part for us is it's taking place indoors in the middle of winter," said Susan Hunkins, Junior League co-chairman.

The league hopes to draw [illegible]0,000 visitors, which is being billed as "America's Gardens: Then and Now."

"It's amazing the effort that these nurseries are going through to make the gardens," Hunkins said. "We were just absolutely blown away at the intricacy and the extensive design of these gardens. It's just amazing to me — St. Louis will never have seen anything like this since that original flower show."

Besides teasing area residents with thoughts of warm, dry days and the natural profusion of flowers, the show may raise $100,000 in ticket sales to allow the league to support community projects, said Marianne Haskins, league co-chairman.

Programs benefiting from the show are Adopt-a-Student, Adolescent Center, Cathedral Cooperative, Dance St. Louis, Foster Care Coalition of Greater St. Louis, Haven of Grace, League Larks/Nightingales, Mentor Program, S.H.A.R.E., St. Louis Abused Women's Support Project, and St. Louis Family Theatre Series.

Contributors and sponsors include the *St. Louis Suburban Journals*, the St. Louis Convention and Visitors Commission, Dierbergs Florists, Ralston Purina Company, Emerson Electric, CPI, KMOX Radio, Gannett Outdoor of St. Louis and Mosby Yearbook, with major participation by the Missouri Botanical Garden.

Highlights of the flower show include a lecture series by local and out-of-town specialists. The talks — covering irises to geraniums, the White House to home landscaping — will spur interest in raising flowers, herbs and trees.

Another attraction will be family day Sunday, Feb. 3, when special activities for children and adults will be offered.

"It's sort of combining fun and learning about the environment and nature," Hunkins said. "It's important for children to know that you have to water a flower the way you have to feed a baby."

"Part of the whole basis of the show is aspects of the Junior League," Haskins said. "You have to have women, children, the arts, and critical metropolitan issues. Basically, Family Day and all the seminars are hoping to address those needs."

The organizers expects Mother Nature's cooperation.

"All along, the league has been concerned because of the dates and the weather that can happen," Haskins said. "We had to get an insurance policy with Lloyd's of London to cover our expenses. I guess they do the unusual."

Tickets for the show, available at all Dierbergs markets, the league's flower show office, and Kiel, are $6 daily for adults and $3 daily for children.

Hours will be 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. Jan. 31 through Feb. 2, and 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Feb. 3.

Those interested in a special preview party Jan. 30 should contact the league's flower show office at 997-3407.

SISTERS SUSAN HUNKINS, left, and Marianne Haskins are co-chairmen of the St. Louis Flower Show.

Sisters share chairmanship

By Mary Schirmer
Correspondent

The Junior League co-chairmen of the St. Louis Flower Show, to be held Jan. 31 through Feb. 3 at Kiel Exhibition Hall, share more than an interest in community affairs.

They are sisters.

Susan Hunkins and Marianne Haskins proposed the show two years ago when they were members of a fund-raising, research and planning committee of the Junior League.

"The two of us, when we joined the league, we thought it would be fun to be on a committee together," Hunkins said. "Neither Susan nor I hardly know anything about gardening. We did discover while putting this together that gardening is the No. 1 hobby in America."

Experience with the family business, that of promoting large-scale antique shows, helped prepare them.

"Truthfully, the interesting thing about this is when we dreamed it up — we heard about the show in Philadelphia and the granddaddy of them all in London — we pretty much invented every step of what we're doing," Haskins said.

Hunkins, a homemaker and mother of three, works in public relations for the antique business. Haskins, also a mother of three, works as cosmetics manager at Famous-Barr's South County store.

These busy women had to stay organized, and 150 league members are pitching in to make the flower show a success.

"In preparation for it, we set up 12 committees under us, and each of those committee chairmen were assigned a different aspect of the show," Haskins said.

Anyone not involved in such a large-scale event may not appreciate all the forethought. Hunkins, responsible for public relations and planning meetings, even traveled to Philadelphia and Atlanta to study their flower shows.

"I think visitors probably wouldn't realize all the time it takes, all the little details," Hunkins said. "It's sort of like the three-ring circus, with something going on in each ring at the same time."

St. Louis seems to be pulling together for the show, which will benefit league programs.

"The surprise is that I thought it would be more difficult to get the community behind us," Hunkins said.

"It's just so exciting to see how easy it is to sell them, whatever we need from them, cooperation or whatever," said Haskins, who is responsible for operational and financial functions of the show.

The hard work hasn't discouraged either sister.

"We definitely will do it again," Hunkins said.

"I think the thing that I'm most looking forward to is the looks on people's faces when they walk in, because they're going to be so overwhelmed," Haskins said.

St. Louis Junior League: Committed to community

By Carolyn Marty
Staff writer

The elementary school children who recently attended a matinee at the Florissant Civic Center Theater were greeted with warm smiles and friendly hellos.

Although many of the children were experiencing their first taste of live theater, they were excited at the prospect of watching the Seem-To-Be Players of Lawrence, Kan., perform Mark Twain's "The Stolen White Elephant."

"I think it's going to be fun," said sixth-grader Sophia White of Wedgwood School in the Ferguson-Florissant School District.

That's the kind of reaction the Junior League of St. Louis, in collaboration with the theater, hoped to invoke from its young audience when it started The Children's Theater Project four years ago.

Seeing a need in the St. Louis community for affordable, accessible children's theater, the league formed a partnership with the City of Florissant to provide the best in children's theater for youngsters and their families.

Now in its fourth season, the program is called the St. Louis Family Theater Series. Each year, it brings four of the finest children's theater touring companies from the U.S. and Canada to St. Louis each year.

This year, more than 28,000 children and families are expected to attend shows in the 1990-91 season, said Junior League member Melissa Fallon, 38, of Chesterfield. Fallon co-chairs this year's program with another league member, Debbie Zimmermann of Ballwin.

The program not only gives children a sense of how exciting live theater can be, it also provides a valuable teaching tool, Fallon said. Volunteers from the league and the Florissant Fine Arts Council visit classrooms prior to each play. They discuss the production with the children, describing what the play is about and teaching the children the best way to enjoy live theater.

These same volunteers then greet the children at the theater when they attend the performance, Fallon said.

The children's theater project is a natural extension of the league's goals, which are to focus volunteer efforts and funding on four areas — the arts, women, children and critical metropolitan issues, said Chris Zuckerman, 39, of Chesterfield who co-chaired the project in its initial stages.

The project is unique in that at the league's 75th anniversary celebration last year, it announced it would permanently sponsor the project.

"It was the league's gift to the community," Zuckerman said.

The league is part of an international organization of women committed to promoting voluntarism and to improve the community through effective action and leadership of trained volunteers, said league President Becky Hubert of Webster Groves.

Locally, its membership has grown to more than 2,300 women. Members range in age between 21 and 45 and come from diversified backgrounds.

Traditionally, the league has tackled some of the communities toughest issues, Hubert said.

In its 76 years, the league has played an important role in the development of many social services and agencies in the community," Hubert said. "In the 1990s, we will continue to identify, research and address hard-hitting issues in the St. Louis area."

For example, the league is spearheading a child health immunization program. It is co-sponsoring the "From All Walks of Life" walk to benefit AIDS care and education this spring.

The league funds a project by suppling money and volunteers for usually a three-year period while the program is established, Hubert said.

"We never give money without also providing trained volunteers," she said.

Each year, the league supports many projects. Proceeds from the St. Louis Flower Show, which will be held Thursday through Sunday at Kiel Auditorium on Market Street in downtown St. Louis, will be used to fund these projects, Hubert said.

Besides the St. Louis Family Theater Series, the 1990-91 community projects include:

Adopt-A-Student: a mentoring program for at-risk high school students with a teacher or counselor.

Adolescent Center: a secondary treatment facility for teenage girls recovering from alcohol or drug dependency.

Cathedral Cooperative Child Care Center: a program that helps homeless people by providing quality child care while parents seek housing, education and employment.

Dance St. Louis: an educational program that trains docents for classroom visits and brings professionals to schools.

Foster Care Coalition of Greater St. Louis: an organization that is working with the league to promote and advocate for the foster-care system.

Haven of Grace: a shelter for pregnant, homeless woman and the their newborns up to 3 months.

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'Green Card' shows love develop slowly

Harry Hamm

Love stories are making a comeback at the movies, but none I've seen in the last few years is as genuine as the new Touchstone Pictures release, "Green Card" (***¼).

One of France's most talented actors, Gerard Depardieu, plays George Faure, a French citizen who has been offered a chance to work in the United States. Not wanting to be limited to normal visiting time frames for foreign nationals, George hatches a scheme through a friend to marry an attractive American horticulturist named Bronte Parrish, played by Andie MacDowell.

It's a winning situation for both of them. The marriage of convenience will allow Bronte to rent what she considers to be the perfect apartment, one with a small balcony containing a greenhouse.

George will gain as he will become the proud holder of a green card after the nuptials, a U.S. Customs document that will allow him to live and work in this county virtually unrestricted.

After the ceremony, Bronte and Charles intend to leave each other immediately and lead separate lifes. Love isn't the question here; skirting the rules to get what each wants is.

The plan works perfectly until immigration officials decide to investigate George and Bronte, forcing him to move in with her for a weekend and pretend they're living together as man and wife. It forces them to take a crash course about one another, trying to memorize in minute detail their likes, dislikes, habits and personal lifestyles.

At first, the situation is constant conflict. She thinks he's a chauvinist brute. He thinks she doesn't have the brains to make a decent cup of coffee.

But need becomes the mother of discovery and caring as "Green Card" fashions the story of two very remarkable people who learn about their love the hard way.

"Green Card" is directed by Peter Weir in a way that is most respectful of the the intimacy and wholesome appeal of a genuine love relationship. The fireworks of passionate attachment ends up being as potent in "Green Card" as in any movie you've seen. What is most enjoyable and unusual is Weir's ability to portray that passion without splattering overt sexual content on the screen to make his point.

"Green Card" is one terrific movie and a love story you don't want to miss seeing or sharing.

Rated PG-13 (language). Running time: 108 minutes.

Harry Hamm is entertainment editor for both KMOX-AM (1120) and the CBS Radio Network.

Salsa Dance set Feb. 16 at Forum

"Hot Salsa!," a fund-raising salsa dance being held to kick off a traveling art show featuring the work of nine Puerto Rican artists at The Forum, will be held from 8:30 p.m. to 1:30 a.m. Feb. 16 at The Forum, 555 Washington Ave.

Two bands will provide the salsa sounds: Chicago's hottest 13-piece salsa band, Ismael Rosa y su orquesta, and St. Louis' El Caribe Tropical.

Tickets to the dance are $8 in advance at The Forum, Tropicana Market and West End Wax and $10 at the door. For more information, call 421-3791.

The art works from Puerto Rican artists including Arnaldo Roche Rabell, Jaime Sua'rez and Mari Mater O'Neill will be on display through March 26.

The dance is underwritten by Budweiser and co-sponsored by KDHX-FM (88.1), West End Wax, and Tropicana Market. Local Hispanic organizations such as the League of United Latin American Citizens (LULAC) and the Hispanic Chamber of Commerce also support this event by rallying attendance by their members.

Fabulous Fox announces list of upcoming events

The Charlie Daniels Band with guest Travis Tritt, 8 p.m. Feb. 22 at the Fox Theater. Tickets are $18.50 and $16.50.

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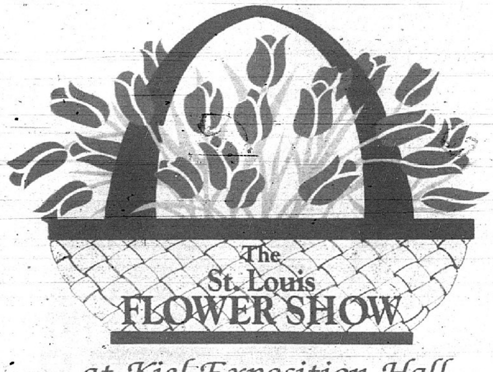

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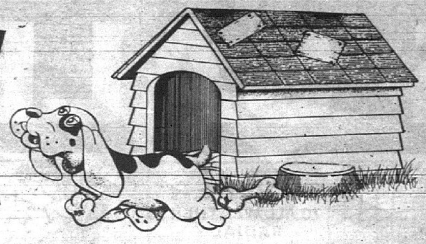

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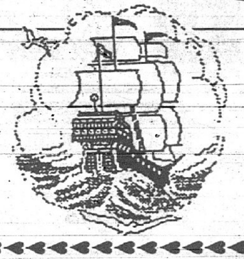

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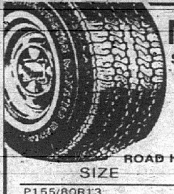

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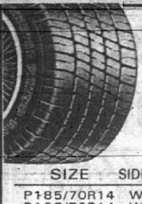

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P205/70R15	WHITE	$69.75
P215/70R15	WHITE	
P225/70R15	WHITE	$74.75
P205/65R15	WHITE	
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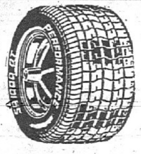

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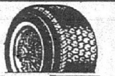

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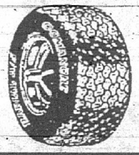

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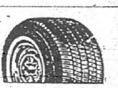

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P175/70R13	49.95	P195/70R14	70.95	P215/70R15	78.95
P185/70R13	62.95	P205/70R14	71.95	P225/70R15	79.95
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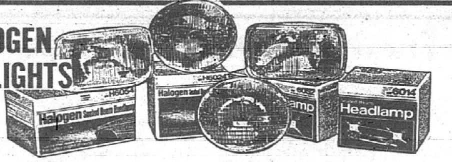

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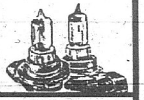

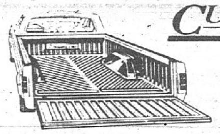

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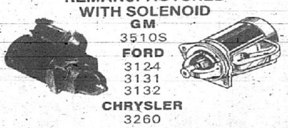

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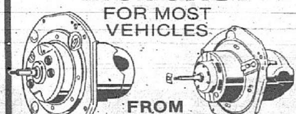

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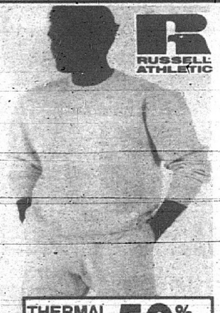

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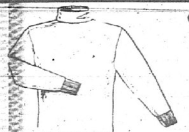

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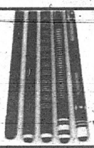

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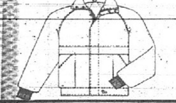

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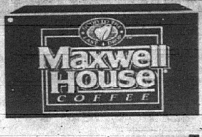

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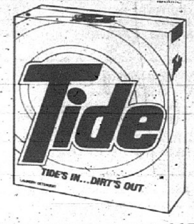

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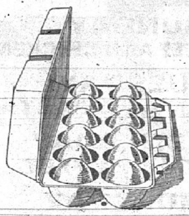

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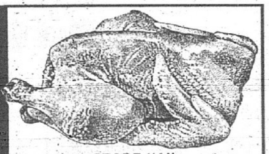

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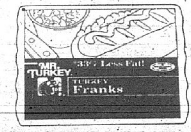

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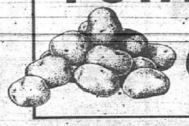

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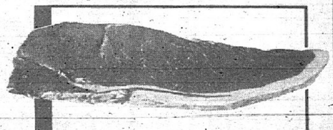

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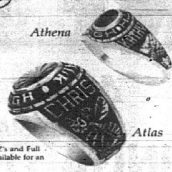

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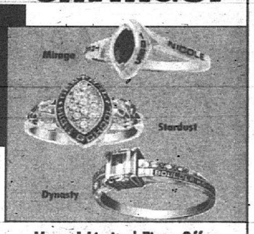

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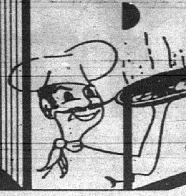

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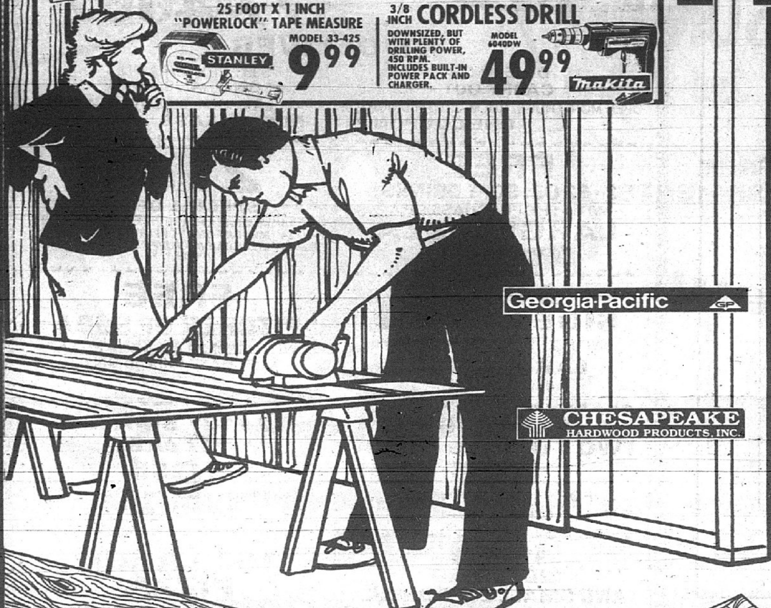

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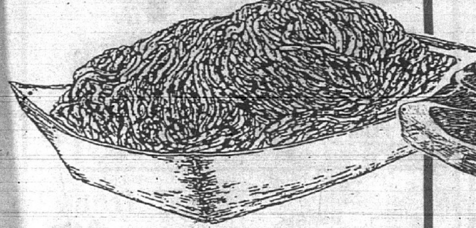

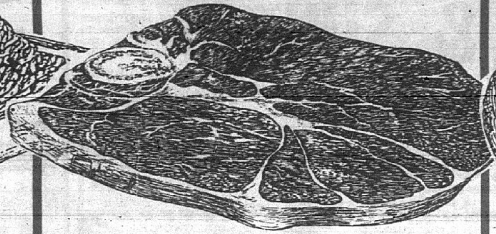

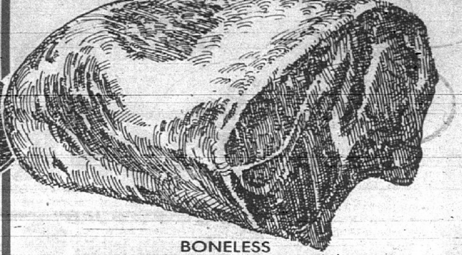

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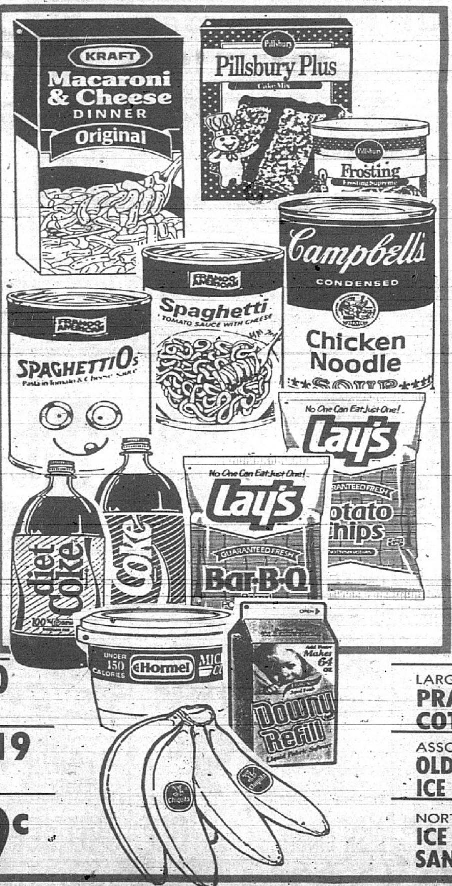

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Military

Robert T. King

Pvt. Robert T. King has completed basic training at Fort Leonard Wood, Mo.

During the training, students received instruction in drill and ceremonies, weapons, map reading, tactics, military courtesy, military justice, first aid, and Army history and traditions.

King is the son of Charles T. and Dorothy M. King of Granite City.

He is a 1990 graduate of Granite City High School.

Diane Kohn

Marine Staff Sgt. Diana S. Kohn, a daughter of Donald C. and Betty Boyce of Granite City, was awarded the Good Conduct Medal.

The medal signifies honest and faithful service during a three year period. To earn it, Kohn achieved and maintained a satisfactory level of performance and an unblemished conduct record for the entire period.

She is currently serving with 2nd Marine Division, Camp LeJeune, N.C.

A 1978 graduate of Granite City High School South, Kohn joined the Marine Corps in August 1978.

Brent D. Caudell

Spec. Brent D. Caudell has completed a unit supply specialist course at Fort Jackson, S.C.

During the course, students received instruction in the maintenance of stock records and the procedures necessary to receive, store, issue, and ship supplies and material.

The private is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl E. Caudell of Granite City.

He is a 1989 graduate of Granite City Senior High School.

Kenneth DeWitt Jr.
... leaves for Gulf

Kenneth Krause

Navy Petty Officer 3rd Class Kenneth O. Krause, whose wife, Jeanne, is the daughter of Evelyn Matt of Granite City, was graduated from Basic Electronics Technician School.

During the course conducted at Service Schools Command, Great Lakes, Ill., Krause received introductory instructions on electronic circuit concepts, radar principles, and the basics of radio transmitters and receivers.

He also studied the procedures for repairing amplifiers, transmitters, receivers, and power supply lines.

A 1989 graduate of Granite City Senior High School, Krause joined the Navy in August 1989.

Charles J. Polach
... in Saudi Arabia

Lt. Charles Polach with Desert Shield

Army Lt. Charles J. Polach, son of Charles and Jan Polach of Granite City, is serving with Operation Desert Shield. He left for Saudi Arabia on Sept. 20.

A native of Granite City, Polach attended St. Elizabeth Catholic School and graduated from Granite City High School North.

Polach also graduated from the University of Missouri at Columbia in 1987 and was commissioned a second lieutenant through the university's ROTC program.

He is married to the former Tamera Strack of Alton. Prior to leaving for Saudi Arabia, the lieutenant was stationed in Virginia.

Polach was able to call home on Dec. 12 to wish his sister a happy birthday, his parents said.

Marine Cpl. DeWitt in Saudi Arabia

Marine Cpl. Kenneth Wayne DeWitt Jr. left on Dec. 10 for the Persian Gulf.

A 1982 graduate of Granite City High School South, DeWitt has served for the past seven years in the U.S. Marine Corps at Camp Lejeune, N.C.

The Marine is the son of Ann Williams and Ken DeWitt of Granite City.

DeWitt's wife, Regina, is residing at Camp Lejeune while her husband is overseas.

Early pregnancy classes offered

— The obstetrics department at St. Elizabeth Medical Center is offering a free series of maternity classes entitled Early Pregnancy for women less than six months pregnant.

The class will meet on two consecutive Mondays, Feb. 4 and 11, from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. in the pre-natal classroom on the second floor of SEMC's Wellness Center, 2103 Iowa St.

The class will provide information on nutrition, exercise, breast conditioning, how a woman's body changes during pregnancy, and how the fetus develops.

Individuals interested in attending any of the classes offered through SEMC's obstetrics department may register by calling 798-3040.

Opportunities for nurses in USAF

Nurses who care about their patients and have a need to be appreciated should check with the Air Force. The Air Force is seeking qualified nurses now.

Special opportunities for medical/surgical nurses, obstetrical nurses, pediatric nurse practitioners, mental health nurses, nurse anesthetists and midwives are available.

Nurses who meet Air Force standards will have the opportunity to work in some of the most up-to-date hospitals in the world. These medical facilities range in size from 25 to 1,000 beds and they have the latest technologies.

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Pack 28 has meeting

Cub Scout Pack 28, chartered to Charlotte Carbonnierre State Farm Insurance Agency, held its December pack meeting recently at Parkview School.

The meeting was opened by Webelos Den 1. Den 3 sang their own version of "The Twelve Days of Christmas".

Webelos Assistant Leader, J. Wyatt, gave out the following awards: Mitch Goldenberg, perfect attendance, Nathan White, perfect attendance and 1 year service star, Matthew Whitehead, compass point and naturalist, Jeffrey Klèe, family member and engineer, Mark Mosely, Arrow of Light and readyman.

Wyatt reported that the pack had successfully completed its Christmas project of collecting canned goods and presents for a needy family. Each Den had also made replicas of ornaments from a foreign country, that were donated to the family. Committee member, Cindy Schroeder, was thanked for coordinating this project. Den Leader Coach Gail Wyatt, assisted in presenting each Scout a Christmas gift of a Pinewood Derby Model Kit.

Committee chairman Patricia Thomas announced the dates for the Pinewood Derby and Blue and Gold Banquet. It was noted that the Pack's evening of Christmas caroling had been enjoyed by all who participated.

The meeting was closed by Webelos Den 2. Den 5 provided refreshments.

Births

Michael Anderson

Ron Anderson and Kim Winn of Granite City have announced the birth of their first child, a son.

Michael Christian was born at 5:30 a.m. Jan. 3, 1991, at Anderson Hospital. He weighed 7 pounds, 11 ounces.

His maternal grandparents are Charles and Leola Winn of Granite City.

The paternal grandparents are Ronald Anderson of Mt. Olive and Donna Oakes of Sacramento, Calif.

Jeffrey Hogue

Jeffrey Sr. and Kayla Hogue of Granite City have announced the birth of their first child, a son.

Jeffrey Wayne Jr. was born Jan. 15, 1991, at Anderson Hospital. He weighed 7 pounds, 11 ounces.

His maternal grandparents are Jack Sr. and Carrie Krug of Granite City.

The paternal grandparents are Theron and Rosemary Hogue of Granite City.

Kasarah Crouch

Kelly and Terri Crouch of Granite City have announced the birth of their second child, a daughter. The mother is the former Terri Miller.

Kasarah Ann was born Jan. 11, 1991, at Anderson Hospital. She weighed 7 pounds, 7 ounces and joins Nicholas, 3.

Ryan Hurt

Rhonda Hurt has announced the birth of her third child, a son.

Ryan Wayne was born Jan. 11, 1991, at Anderson Hospital. He weighed 7 pounds, 4 ounces. He joins brothers, Justin, 7, and James 2.

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Surprise celebration marks anniversary

Kathy Dohnal

Kathy Dohnal covers the Madison-Venice scene for the Press-Record/Journal. She can be contacted at 877-1096.

A surprise 25th wedding anniversary celebration for Pat (Stimac) and Jim Scherrils was held on Jan. 20 at Ravanelli's.

The couple was married Jan. 22, 1966, at St. Mary's Church in Madison.

The Scherrils are the parents of two daughters, Amy and Beth Scherrills.

The decorations silver and a decorated cake was served after dinner.

Music was provided by John Gottlieb of Viviano Entertainment and a magic act was performed by John Apperson.

Members of the original wedding party present were Connie Grupas, Kathy Mollerus, Dee-Mana Spudich, Delores Stimac, Alan Stimac and Glen Docter.

Others attending were: their parents, Rudy and Melen Stimac and Hazel Scherrills; Tom Markovic; Jerry Grupas; Betty Bucatch; Jennie Dyjeski; Mike Jakich; Rudy and Eva Majkut; Mamie Docter; Donna Docter; Gerry and Rich Mendez; Brian Taylor; Marv and Lisa Stapleton.

Judy Bucatch; Jamie Bucatch; Charles and Tommie Stimac; Debbie Stimac; Richard Marcus; Fran Janik; Paul Urban; Steve and Pat Lalich; Les and Mary Firtos; John and Dottie Myslak; Bill and Pat Loftus; Alice Loftus; Charles Loftus; Stan and Dorothy Serwatlea; Gary Mollerus; G.G. Docter; Don and Gloria Baercle; Ed and Kathy Dohnal; Matt Oldendorph; Stan and Vi Stimac; Angela Grupas; Marc Treppler; and Arnold Brody.

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The committee for the 35-year reunion of the Madison Senior High School Class of 1956 need addresses for the following:

Ruby Armstrong, Gerard H. Dion, Robert E. Gipson, Annie E. Hays, Charles Kibbons, Lorene Kopchak, Edward Kube, Charlyn Massie, Howard Morgan, Charles Nagy, Robert D. Rachitz (Rackets), Frank Riley, Delores Salters, LaJuanna Strauther, Sharon Williams and Floyd Woolfolk.

Those who have information should call Carol (Svoboda) Robertson, 877-0530, or mail information to 1710 Sixth St. Madison, Ill. 62060.

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The Polish Hall Dance Troupe's Parents Group met Jan. 16 and made plans for its annual Valentine's Day Dance to be held from 8 p.m. to midnight Feb. 9 at the Polish Hall Music.

Music will be by the Heritage Polka Band. Admittance will be $4 at the door. The dancers will perform at 9 p.m.

Attending the meeting was: director Reggie Forys; dance instructor Suzy Holmes; and parents, Geoffrey and Alexis Lux, Gerry Mendez, M. John Papa, Rose Krystopa, Judy and Bob Kult, Toni Sbabo, Steve Kusmerceyk, Diane Hudzik, Helen Romanic, Ceil Rowalczyk and Bobbie Papa.

Egbert graduates from Officer School

Staff Sgt. Vernon A. Egbert, a 1981 Cahokia High School graduate, has graduated from a non-commissioned officer leadership school.

The sergeant studied techniques of leadership, management, and supervision.

He is a precision measurement equipment laboratory specialist at Myrtle Beach Air Force Base, S.C.

The sergeant is the son of Thomas W. Egbert of Cahokia, and Betty J. Moore of Granite City.

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Births

Ashley Anderson

Cindy Anderson of Granite City is a parent of a girl born at 8:35 a.m. Jan. 21, 1991, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center.

The infant has been named Ashley Dennise. She weighed 6 pounds, 15 ounces.

The maternal grandparent is Betty Jean Anderson.

The parent has one other child, Jonathan Olen Brown.

Allyson Graham

Mr. and Mrs. Steven Graham of Edwardsville are parents of a girl born at 1:10 p.m. Jan. 16, 1991, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center.

The infant has been named Allyson Katherine. She weighed 7 pounds, 1 ounce.

The mother is the former Gail Gantt.

The maternal grandparents are Babe and Pat Gantt of Granite City.

The paternal grandparents are Clem and Alice Graham of Edwardsville.

Brandy Mason

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mason Jr. of Granite City are parents of a girl born at 10:44 Jan. 14, 1991, St. Elizabeth Medical Center.

The infant has been named Brandy Lynn. She weighed 6 pounds, 1 ounce.

The mother is the former Kathleen Stowers.

The maternal grandparents are Alan and Robert Watson of Granite City.

The paternal grandparents are Charles and Delores Mason Sr. of Granite City.

The couple has one other child, Anthony J. Mason, 2½ yrs.

Hannah Wilson

Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Wilson of Granite City, are parents of a girl born at 4:40 p.m. Jan. 14, 1991, at St. Mary's Hospital.

The infant has been named Hannah Marie. She weighed 8 pounds, 12 ounces.

The mother is the former Janice Hill.

The maternal grandparents are Lois Hill of Granite City and Wayne Hill of Venice.

The paternal grandparents are Walter and Jeanette Wilson formerly of Granite City, now living in Ozark, Mo.

Steinkoenig

Scott and Peggy Steinkoenig of Collinsville have announced the birth of their first child, a son.

Garrett Edward was born at 7:28 p.m., Jan. 9, 1991, at Barnes Hospital in St. Louis. He weighed 7 pounds, 14 ounces.

His maternal grandmother is Norma Stahl of Granite City.

The paternal grandparents are Joseph and Lillian Steinkoenig of Troy.

Garrett Steinkoenig

Scott and Peggy Steinkoenig of Collinsville, are parents of a boy born at 7:28 p.m. Jan. 9, 1991, at Barnes Hospital.

The infant has been named Garrett Edward. He weighed 7 pounds, 14 ounces.

The maternal grandparent is Norma Stahl of Granite City.

The paternal grandparents are Joseph and Lillian Steinkoenig of Troy.

Timothy Marcum

Mr. and Mrs. Brad Marcum of Granite City are parents of a boy born at 6 a.m. Jan. 10, 1991, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center.

The infant has been named Timothy Andrew. He weighed 8 pounds, 12 ounces.

The father is Pastor of Victory Fellowship of Granite City. The mother is the former Cheryl Walker.

The maternal grandparent is Deloris Crawley of Mt. Vernon.

The paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. George Marcum of Centralia, Ill.

The couple has two other children, Kenneth, 8 yrs. and Bethany, 5 yrs.

Jacob Morris

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Morris of Granite City are parents of a boy born 3:22 Jan. 11, 1991, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center.

The infant has been named Jacob Glenn. He weighed 9 pounds, 2 ounces.

The mother is the former Gretchen Gibson.

The maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Gibson of Granite City.

The paternal grandparents are Mr. a d Mrs. Charles Morni of Granite City.

The couple has three other children, Elaine, Jerremy, and Magen.

Kaitlyn Dohnal

Mr. and Mrs. Steven Dohnal of Granite City are parents of a girl born at 6:13 Jan. 11, 1991, St. Elizabeth Medical Center.

The infant has been named Kaitlyn Elizabeth. She weighed 5 pounds, 9 ounces.

The mother is the former Mary Lou Barrington.

The maternal grandparents are Joe and Ruth Barrington of Granite City.

The paternal grandparents are Edward and Kathy Dohnal of Madison.

The couple has one other child, Stephanie Marie.

Joshua Hancock

Mr. and Mrs. James Hancock of Madison are parents of a boy born at 5:20 p.m. Jan. 9, 1991, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center.

The infant has been named Joshua Anthony. He weighed 7 pounds, 11 ounces.

The mother is the former Becky Stone.

The maternal grandparent is Kathleen Stone.

The paternal grandparents are Earl Hancock and Carol Hancock of Madison.

Joseph Dunn

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Dunn of Granite City are parents of a boy born at 4:47 Jan. 12, 1991, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center.

The infant has been named Joseph Dunn. He weighed 5 pounds, 12½ ounces.

The mother is the former Tammy Zimmerman.

The maternal grandparents are Joe and Irene Zimmerman of Granite City.

The paternal grandparents are Benny and Helen Dunn of Granite City.

Laurence Garnett

Stacey M. Garnett of Granite City is a parent of a boy born at 3:15 p.m. Jan. 11, 1991, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center.

The infant has been named Laurence Anthony. He weighed 5 pounds, 8 ounces.

The maternal grandparent is Marcia Koleff of Granite City.

The paternal grandparent is Lawrence Anthony Oker of Granite City.

The parent has one other child, Amanda Denise, 3 years.

Cassandra Vinson

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce A. Vinson of Granite City are parents of a girl born at 8:26 p.m. Jan. 11, 1991, at St. Elizabeth's Medical Center.

The infant has been named Cassandra Alyssa. She weighed 8 pounds, 12 ounces.

The mother is the former Carolyn Ann Causey.

The maternal grandparents are Charles and Rosemary Causey of Granite City.

The paternal grandparents are Jimmy D. and Beverly Sue Vinson of Granite City.

The couple has one other child, Nathaniel Bruce, 2½ yrs.

Bradley Hozian

Shannon Hozian of Granite City is a parent of a boy born at 10:28 a.m. Jan. 10, 1991, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center.

The infant has been named Bradley Charles. He weighed 8 pounds, 13 ounces.

The maternal grandparents are Kenny and Virginia Hozian of Granite City.

Eta Chapter enjoyed holiday dinner

Eta Chapter of Phi Tau Omega Sorority celebrated the holiday season on Jan. 2 with dinner at Ralph and Charlie's Steakhouse.

Red and green table decorations provided the background for the social hour preceing dinner, and small decorated Christmas baskets were presented as table favors.

Following dinner, gifts were exchanged and identities of secret pals were revealed. Special guests for the evening included Blanche Grace, Julienne Hatscher, Lois Hodge, Judy Joyce, Elsie Rodell, Diane Schwendeman, Kelly Bernaix, Lisa Fanning, Laurie Logan, Norma McKay, Melia Rosenburg, Mary Rydgig and Julie Wiehardt.

Prizes in the games were awarded to Millie Greathouse, Mary Lou Richeson, Janis Wolfe, McKay and Rodell.

In addition to those named, other members attending were Loraine Butler, Dorothy Costello, Debbie Geggus, Janice Greathouse, Mary Hassler, Eunice Hatscher, Jane Haug, Kathy Keck, Shirley Morgan, Ann Tatum, Martha Ruth Thomas, Georgiana VanBuskirk and Mary Evalyne Yencho.

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Children respect money by spending allowances

Jane Cosby

Sue Weiss' son began receiving an allowance at 4. There was a two-fold method to this madness: By giving Eric his own funds to spend, she eliminated from family shopping trips the buy-me-something plaints. And because the youngster couldn't afford to buy a trinket or candy bar every time out, she was teaching him responsible money management.

The lessons already have been put to good use. From April to August, Eric, now 6, spent none of his allowance, saving every penny, plus the proceeds from recycling aluminum cans, to pay half the cost of a Nintendo video game. His parents matched his contribution.

"He amazed me," says Weiss, associate vice president at A.G. Edwards & Sons Inc., the brokerage house.

Unfortunately, most parents don't know how to teach these values to their children, says Diane Pearl, of Moneywise, a financial education firm.

Shopping is virtually an addiction. Half of the 6-year-olds make one purchase per week, spending nearly $135 a year; all 10- and 12-year-olds make at least two purchases per week, ringing up almost $360 a year, reports marketing professor James McNeal.

St. Louis children with savings accounts often have unrealistic expectations. "Generally, the first thing they're saving for is a car," a goal of those as young as age 5, says Sue Hutchins, vice president at Mercantile Bank.

What's a parent to do? Be a better role model, local experts say. "We have to reteach some things" students have learned from watching their parents, says Nancy Becoat, business education teacher at Kirby Junior High in the Hazelwood School District.

In fact, many students have taken to heart lessons learned at home. "Most students don't budget. They live from allowance to allowance, from paycheck to paycheck," just like their elders do, says Robert Gregor, business teacher at Edwardsville High School.

A third party such as a teacher, banker or financial advisor can reinforce good money management principles. High school seniors in Illinois must pass a one-semester consumer education class to graduate.

The main problem with that requirement is the course, Gregor says. While it is the most practical of all those offered to high school students, the course covers "topics that haven't struck home yet," such as setting a budget or how to buy a house, he says.

The process of instilling good money management in young minds should begin well before high school, Pearl says. The first step is to give children responsibility. When going to the movies, let the child put the admission money in his pocket, let him actually buy the ticket. Many preschool children are ready for that responsibility, she says.

The next step is a weekly allowance. The average for those aged 4 through 12 was $4.42 in 1989, according to McNeal's calculations.

Here is where experts part company. Some maintain that allowances should be awarded because children are part of the family. Others recommend tying the allowance with chores; annual raises and added responsibilities are part of this scenario.

Students whose allowances are tied to completing household chores are better money managers than others, Becoat says.

Pearl, a proponent of requiring children to earn an allowance, used to keep a list of chores her son had to complete. The last item on the list—literally the bottom line—was the child's financial reward.

Some goals must be set, she says. But the goals must be reachable, such as Eric Weiss saving half the price of a Nintendo game. When Pearl's son, Austin, now 14, wanted a pair of Air Jordan basketball shoes, she figured he'd have to caddy six Saturdays to accumulate his half of the purchase price.

That experience has helped him understand the value of money, she says.

Adds, Linda Boka, "As a parent, I find that when a child has to earn their money, they're more responsible." She is a home economics teacher at Madison Action Learning & Career Exploration School, a magnet school in the City of St. Louis.

Boka, who teaches home economics to kindergarten through eighth-grade students, says teaching how money can be saved during shopping provides a valuable lesson for students. She shows sixth graders how to substitute refrigerated biscuits for higher-priced packaged pizza dough, how one bar of baker's chocolate can make four batches of brownies at a lower cost than buying a packaged mix.

"Every opportunity you give them to experience a savings sticks with them," she says.

In fact, that is the best advice educators can offer. "You learn by doing," Pearl says.

Those lessons sink in, Mercantile's Hutchins says. Youngsters with savings accounts they regular make deposits to are keenly interested in their asset. "You'd be amazed at the level of interest they take in that, making sure their money is all there," particularly that interest earnings have been credited.

"Once children start saving, they don't want to take it out."

Children's TV programs need input from public

Jane Cosby

The United States now has a law governing the quality of children's television programs and the amount of advertising allowed on them. But it is up to parents and others to make sure the law works, said Peggy Charren, founder and president of Action for Children's Television (ACT).

"It will be the role of the public to force television stations to comply with the new law," Charren said last week.

Passed in October by Congress, the law received widespread endorsement from educational, community and religious groups. It requires stations to provide programming that meets the educational and informational needs of children, and limits advertising during children's programs to 10½ minutes per hour on weekends and 12 minutes through the week.

The Federal Communications Commission used guidelines nearly identical to these from 1974 until 1984, when it deregulated the television industry. Following deregulation, ACT, a national nonprofit organization that encourages diversity and quality in children's programming, led the fight to set the requirements into law rather than return them as guidelines, which easily can be set aside.

"It's time we stopped accepting short change for our children," Charren said. "We haven't set policies (for children's television) in this country that put children first."

Parents must reject television programming for children that contains too little educational content and is little more than an advertising vehicle for products such as toys, Charren said.

"If librarians filled the shelves of the public libraries with comic books and manufacturers catalogs, people would ask where the other books were," she said.

Charren encourages parents connected to a group, such as a PTA, to form a committee to investigate local stations' efforts at implementing the new law, and find out when the stations are up for license renewal. The stations will be very sensitive to public input about the way the station is meeting the requirements of the new law when it is preparing to renew its license, she said.

Parents must focus attention on stations and make them realize that anything less than complete compliance with the law will not be tolerated in a community, she said.

The new law should create opportunities for dialogue between stations and the communities they serve, Charren said.

"If a station gets a reputation as an institutional child abuser because they (the programmers) are not doing what they are supposed to do for children, it will effect their ratings for other programming," she said.

Anything less than full implementation of the new law is nothing less than selling out the nation's children, Charren said.

The law also established the National Endowment of Children's Television, a federal agency that will provide grants to fund creation of the educational programs children need to learn how the world works and why things happen, Charren said.

Jane Cosby is a former teacher and the mother of two.

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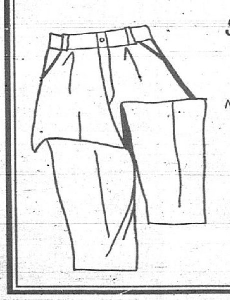

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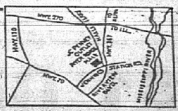

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200 attend Marshall PTA meeting; projects discussed

The Marshall School PTA met Monday, Dec. 17 in the school gymnasium with about 200 attending.

Jaima Jansen, vice-president, presided at the brief business meeting. She announced that the next PTA project is to buy front and cyclorama curtains for the stage.

Harold Brewer, editor of the yearbook, discussed this year's yearbook contents and deadlines.

Following a brief business meeting, fourth-grade pupils presented a Christmas program. The show opener was two songs — "Jingle Bells" and "Jingle Bell Rock" — sung by all fourth-graders, with keyboard played by their music teacher, Alicia Popilchack.

Donna Polivick's fourth-grade students presented two recitations with dramatic action — "Merry Mouse Christmas A-B-C" and "The Forgotten Christmas."

The pupils included: Michael Barton, Jason Borisch, Erica Brawley, Bobby Brown, Amanda Copeland, Robert Farrell, Amanda Flora, Chrissy Fudge, Timothy Graham, Curtis Gray, Amy Hicks, Cassie Hunt, Daniel Jackson, Robin Jackson, Nathan Middleton, Donna Moseley, Johnathan Overturf, Derek Powers, Shontay Schumate, Karen Trawick and Tara Tullock.

Next, Leah Gamblin and Jennifer Jones sang a duet — "Silver Bells."

Then, Elizabeth Hall's fourth-grade students presented two recitations with songs and pantomime action — "T'was the Night Before Christmas" and "Frosty the Snowman." Afterwards, they sang "Silent Night" with sign language.

Students participating were: Stephen Asbeck, Shannon Brown, Terra Broyles, Tiffany Cigelske, Sandra Coad, Nicole Ellis, Christopher Fowler, Leah Gamblin, Thomas Haymaker, Arthur Heck, Jennifer Hitchcock, Peggy Hogue, Toni Holt, Jennifer Jones, Jacob Knuckles, James Kudelka, Cheyene Modglin, Donald Moseley, Dirk Pearman, Robert Schrader, Angela Skaggs, Johnny Smith, Sara Thorton, Jamie Williams, Matthew Yarbrough, Jeremy Yeager and Jason Zigler.

For the finale, the audience joined all fourth-graders in singing "Santa Claus Is Coming to Town."

The same Christmas program was given for all Marshall students in a school assembly.

Eagles Auxiliary accepts applicants

At the first January meeting of the Eagles Auxiliary 1126, six applications were voted on and were to be initiated Jan. 19, State Appreciation Weekend. Five new applications also were read.

The meeting was opened by President Ruth Jorgensen. Conductor Kathleen Benda presented the flag and placed the Bible and the motherhead on the altar. Secretary Vincine Zerlan read letters from the Grand Aerie enclosing "No-Goose" eggs for the months of October and November. A letter was read regarding the seven-state Eagles conference to be held in Paducah, Ky., on Jan. 25-27.

Bylaws committee member Kathleen Benda read the changes to the bylaws for the first time.

State Appreciation Weekend Chairman Florence Hagnauer discussed the final plans for the weekend.

The "Good of the Auxiliary" was won by Amelia Weatherford and Diana Hardesty.

Former resident named to society

Stacie Hahn of Normal, Ill., formerly of Granite City, was awarded the honor of becoming a member of the Golden Key National Honor Society. She is a junior at Illinois State University and is working toward a Bachelor of Science. She is majoring in math and minoring in Spanish.

She attended Granite City Schools, kindergarten through tenth grade. And then graduated from Rochester High School, Rochester, Ill.

She was recently elected president of Alpha Gamma Delta (1991), Secretary of Alpha Gamma Delta (1990), member of Phi Eta Sigma Honor Society, member of Alpha Lambda Delta Honor Society, Team ISU, Tour guide, Desk attendant of Hamilton Whitten Residence Hall, and plans to teach in the Spring of 1992.

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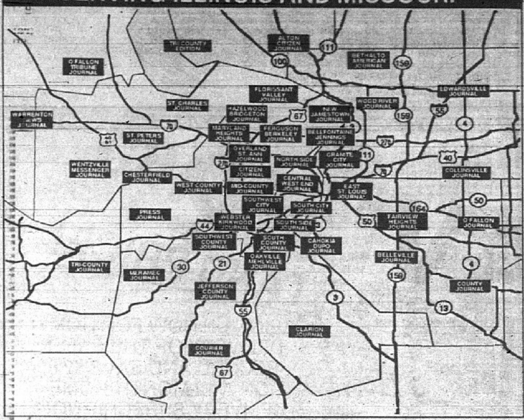

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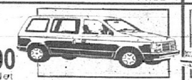

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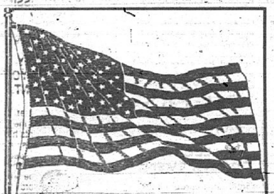

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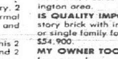

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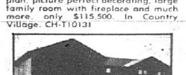

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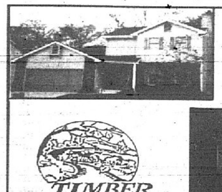

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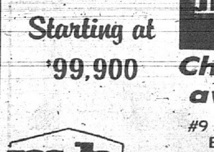

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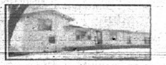

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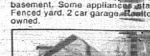

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Designers' tricks work magic in small rooms

The average American home is getting smaller—due, in part, to the rising costs of construction. As a result, homeowners are learning to live in more modest spaces.

This ushers in a new set of decorating guidelines as homeowners strive to make small rooms appear larger and more impressive. Below, several prominent interior designers offer some helpful suggestions:

•"First, you have to consider color," says Noel Jeffrey, president of his own design firm in New York. "Using a light shade—a pale salmon, for example, or a creamy white—is a spatial trick that adds size. I also think light colors make you less aware of those low ceilings that are the norm in today's housing market."

But darker shades are also acceptable, he adds. "You may want to create a warmer, cozier space—which can easily be achieved with a darker hue."

•If the color of the walls is crucial to achieving a more livable space, then what you choose for the floor is equally important.

"When you're deciding what to do with the floor, stay with one solid color, particularly in one small space," says Sally Sirkin Lewis, who designs textiles and furniture for J. Robert Scott.

Solid-color carpeting that extends to the perimeters of a room makes it appear larger, "and several small scatter rugs just won't do the trick," she says.

•Joanne DePalma, a partner in the New York-based design firm of Bradshaw-DePalma, advises her clients to choose sisal, which can be removed easily when the underlying surface needs cleaning. "An inexpensive option is to buy a remnant and have a carpet installer cut it to size," she says. "Simply lay it down unbound, gluing the edges to prevent it from unraveling—or, if you prefer, have it bound."

•To give a room height, Jeffrey suggests using many vertical elements—long picture frames, mirrors and curtains.

"You may want to consider adding a large piece of furniture—a bookcase, for example—which will bring your eye up to the ceiling and give you a sense of space or height" Jeffrey says.

The higher a room appears, the more luxurious it seems, points out Ron Bradshaw, a partner in the firm of Bradshaw-DePalma.

•Another decorating rule of thumb when tackling smaller spaces is to add interesting pieces of artwork, says David A. Harte, owner of the Julian Graham-White antiques shop in New York.

•Low screens also can be used to divide a work or desk space from the rest of the room.

Rail trip to head for Kansas City

The American Association of Railroaders is sponsoring a one-day train excursion to Kansas City on Feb. 2. The "Ground Hog Day Barbecue Pig-Out" not only will be a rail-riding a dventure covering 562 miles of Missouri country side but also will feature a barbecue dinner at the world-famous Arthur Bryant's restaurant.

The escorted tour will depart at 8 a.m. from the downtown Amtrak Station, 550 S. 16th St., with a stop for passengers in Kirkwood at 8:30 a.m. While traveling along the scenic "Missouri River Route," a continental breakfast will be served a board the reserved coach.

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A taste of Illinois

The following is a listing of Metro East restaurants:

A Taste of Italy, 2624 Washington Ave., Granite City, 451-8036. Thursday through Thursday, 10:30 a.m. to 8 p.m.; Friday, 10:30 a.m. to 9:30 p.m.; Saturday, 4:30 to 9:30 p.m. Specializing in spicy pasta and pasta with double butter.

Ahn's Chop Suey, 1114 N. Main St., Edwardsville, 656-8990.

Alfonzo's Pizzeria, Illinois 159, Maryville, 288-5701. Open seven days a week, Monday through Saturday, 11 a.m. to midnight; Sunday, noon to 11 p.m. Specializing in 18-inch pizzas and hot chicken wings.

Andria's Restaurant, 330 Old Collinsville Road., O'Fallon, 632-4866. Open Monday through Saturday, 5 to 10 p.m. Specializing in steaks.

Antique House, 3701 W. Main St., Belleville, 235-3434. Open Monday through Saturday, 11 a.m. to 2 a.m.; Sunday, 3 p.m. to midnight. Specializing in filet and T-bone steaks.

Antonio's Pizzeria, 2300 Camp Jackson Rd., Cahokia, 322-2099.

Arbor Bar & Grill, 200 S. Belt West, Belleville, 234-2511.

BJ's, Illinois 160 and 161, New Baden, 588-3885. Open Monday through Friday, 7 a.m. to 8 p.m.; Saturday, 8 a.m. to 8 p.m.; Sunday, noon to 7 p.m. Specializing in roast beef and ham sandwiches.

Baker's Brass Lantern, 511 E. Main, Belleville, 233-2268. Open Monday through Friday, 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. and 4 p.m. to 8 p.m. Specializing in steaks.

Beef Baron, 3675-F Nameoki Road, Granite City, 877-8873. Open Monday through Thursday, 11 a.m. to 8 p.m.; Friday, 11 a.m. to 9 p.m.; Saturday 11 a.m. to 8 p.m. Specializing in steak and onion sandwiches.

Bert's Chuck Wagon, 207 E. Clay, Collinsville, 34407993. Open Monday through Saturday, 10 a.m. to 10 p.m.; Sunday, noon to 10 p.m. Specializing in tacos.

Black Swan, 1000 Eastport Plaza, Collinsville, 345-2400. Open Monday through Friday, 6:15 a.m. to 10:30 p.m.; Saturday, 7 a.m. to 10:30 p.m.; Sunday, 7 a.m. to 10 p.m. Specializing in pepper loin steak.

Bob & Margaret's Farmer's Inn, Illinois 158, Millstadt, 476-3433. Open Wednesday and Thursday, 4-9 p.m.; Friday and Saturday, 4-9:30 p.m.; Sunday, 11 a.m. to 8:30 p.m. Specializing in fried chicken and cod cut-ups.

Brinker's, 499 Salem Place, Fairview Heights, 624-4499.

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Sam's Chuck Wagon, 701 S. Belt West, Belleville, 234-7933. Open Monday through Thursday, 11 a.m. to 10 p.m.; Friday and Saturday, 11 a.m. to 11 p.m. Specializing in Mexican buffet.

Cafe & Annex, 1413 20th Street, Granite City, 877-3700.

Caseyville Restaurant, 22 S. Long, Caseyville, 344-9714. Open seven days a week, 6:30 a.m. to 7:30 p.m. Specializing in homemade pies.

Char's, 1803 Ramada Blvd., Collinsville, 344-6905. Open Monday through Thursday, 5 p.m. to 10 p.m.; Friday and Saturday, 5 p.m. to midnight; Sunday, 10 a.m. to 10 p.m. Specializing in steaks.

Chez Seamus, 8 Ginger Creek, Edwardsville, 656-7395. Open Monday through Saturday, 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Specializing in quiche.

China Garden, 5110 N. Belt West, Belleville 277-7140. Open Sunday through Thursday, 11 a.m. to 10:30 p.m.; Friday and Saturday, 11 a.m. to 11 p.m. Specializing in beef with broccoli.

China Garden, 10522 Lincoln Trail, Fairview Heights, 397-8985. Open Sunday, 11 a.m. to 9:30 p.m.; Monday through Thursday, 11 a.m. to 10 p.m.; Friday and Saturday, 11 a.m. to 10:30 p.m. Specializing in seafood delight.

China Town, 650 Carlyle Road, Belleville, 277-8227. Open Monday through Saturday, 11 a.m. to 9:30 p.m. Specializing in Chinese food.

China Town, 5900 N. Illinois, Fairview Heights, 632-1210. Open Monday through Thursday, 11 a.m. to 9:30 p.m.; Friday and Saturday, 11 a.m. to 10 p.m.; Sunday, 11 a.m. to 9 p.m. Specializing in Moo Goo Gai Pan.

The Chuck Wagon, 10210½ Lincoln Trail, Fairview Heights, 398-0230. Open Monday through Friday, 11 a.m. to 11 p.m.; Saturday, 11 a.m. to midnight; Sunday, noon to 11 p.m. Specializing in Mexican food.

Columbia City Saloon, Illinois 3 and Valmeyer Road, Columbia, 281-9915. Open Monday through Saturday, 9 a.m. to 10 p.m.; Sunday, noon to 8 p.m. Specializing in broiled chicken.

Crystal Cafeteria, 105 Lanaghan, Fairview Heights, 397-1051. Open Tuesday through Sunday, 10:30 a.m. to 8 p.m. Specializing in half-baked chicken.

The Den, 2401 State, Granite City, 452-1010. Open Monday through Saturday, 11 a.m. to midnight. Specializing in Cajun chicken breasts.

Domenico's, 3700 Old Collinsville Road, Belleville, 277-6123. Open Monday through Thursday, 11 a.m. to 10 p.m.; Friday, 11 a.m. to 11 p.m.; Saturday, 4 to 11 p.m.; Sunday, 4 to 9 p.m. Specializing in steak arcobasso.

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Lee Wah, 24 E. Main, Belleville, 234-9245. Open Monday through Saturday, 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. Specializing in hot brazed chicken.

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The Public Hearing Document will be available for viewing and comment at the Public Hearing or after January 15 at the Area Agency office.

Written testimony will be accepted at the Public Hearing or may be mailed to:
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Southwestern Illinois Area Agency on Aging
331 Salem Place, Suite 170
Fairview Heights, IL 62208
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Warriors get medicine

By Dave Whaley
Staff writer

GRANITE CITY — It was time for the Warrior basketball team to get well Saturday. Fortunately for them, they had the right medicine on hand.

The struggling Belleville East Lancers have been a cure-all for many teams this year. Granite City brought a three-game losing streak into Saturday's Southwestern Conference game, but cruised to a 67-46 win.

The Warriors improved to 9-7 overall and 3-1 in conference play. The Lancers fell to 2-13 with their seventh straight loss and are 1-4 in SWC play.

For the Lancers, the problem is a simple one. Gary Snep, a 6-6 forward, hurt his shoulder right before Christmas and isn't expected back for another two weeks. Snep was the only Lancer with much varsity experience coming into the season, and his loss has been a crippling one.

GRANITE CITY 67, Belleville East 46

BELLEVILLE EAST	12	9	11	14—46
GRANITE CITY	16	14	15	22—67

BELLEVILLE EAST: Grant 23 (3 3-pointers), Hill 11 (3 3-pointers), Allmon 6, Eiskant 4, Sudduth 2. FG-12/46 (6 3-pointers), FT-16/21, PF-12.

GRANITE CITY: Thomas 13 (1 3-pointer), B. Smith 12 (11 rebounds), Birdsong 11 (2 3-pointers), Marshall 9 (3 3-pointers), J. Smith 7, Stephens 7 (1 3-pointer), Ellis 4, Robertson 4. FG-26/63 (7 3-pointers), FT-8/11, PF-17.

(Staff photo by Dave Whaley)

DRAKE MARSHALL of the Warriors tries to drive past a Belleville East defender.

"We're depleted without him," said East coach Jim Reynolds. "Gary has four years of varsity experience and much of our game was built around him. Losing him would be like other teams losing two or three players."

The Warriors took advantage and cut off the losing streak before it got out of control.

"This was a dose of insulin, or penicillin, or whatever medicine we needed," said Warrior coach Bill Ohlendorf. "If we had lost this game I don't know where we would have been. It might have been about time to give up."

The Warriors needed it because they have games this weekend with Collinsville and Edwardsville, probably the top two metro east teams.

"We were lethargic early, but sometimes it's a matter of playing up to the level of your opposition," said Ohlendorf. "Jim has had some problems with his team, and the injury to Snep really set them back."

Fernando Grant led all scorers with 23 points, but it wasn't enough as the Lancers made only 12 of 46 field goals. They made 16 of 21 free throws to keep the game respectable.

"Fernando had a great game against Edwardsville and another good effort tonight," Reynolds said. "But it's tough to dominate a game when you're 5-11."

The Warriors let the Lancers stay in the game for a while, but gradually pulled away. Taking their cue from Althoff's three-point exhibition on Friday, the Warriors made seven treys Saturday — three by Drake Marshall.

"Drake got some playing time in the JV game and looked good," said Ohlendorf. "This game was a boost for him. And Bobby Thomas is playing awfully well. He was one of the bright spots at the Salem Tournament and he's kept up his level of play."

Thomas led the Warriors with 13 points, Brian Smith had 12 and Skip Birdsong added 11.

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Cahokia rallies by grapplers to win regular-season finale

By Mike Kelly
Staff writer

ST. JACOB — The question has been asked all season: How will Granite City and Cahokia match up in a dual wrestling meet?

As the season progressed, the curiosity reached a feverish pitch. The Warriors, along with Belleville West, are considered the strongest contenders to challenge the Comanches' recent dominance.

But the Warriors let a golden opportunity slip away Saturday. Granite City led 27-11 through 140 pounds, but Cahokia (21-1) snatched the last six matches and won 36-27 in a quadrangular meet at Triad High School to close out the regular season. Granite City finished with a 18-2 record after polishing off Triad (67-6) and Murphysboro (55-14). The Warriors also beat Althoff 55-12 on Friday.

The Comanches staged an amazing comeback in the featured match, highlighted by sophomore DeMarco Suggs, who wrestled for the second time on the varsity level in nearly a month.

"That's why Cahokia is the No. 1 team in the area," Granite City coach Mike Garland said. "We came in with a pretty good feeling about winning the match, but once we got into the upper weights, (Cahokia) just stuck it to us. It's frustrating to blow a 16-point lead, but you have to expect a team of Cahokia's caliber to mount a comeback."

The Warriors led 27-26 going into the 189-pound bout, but Suggs sealed Granite City's fate by knocking off Mark Cotter, 11-1. The crucial point of the match occurred late in the opening period. With 12 seconds remaining and Suggs leading by one, Cotter made a sweeping attempt for a headlock. But Suggs ducked underneath his arm, grabbed him by the wrist and slammed Cotter to the mat. That takedown and near-fall handed Suggs five points and a 7-1 lead.

The win gave the Comanches a 30-27 lead, and Maurice Hickman provided the final touch by pinning Al Willaredt in 1:54 in the heavyweight match.

"I didn't take any chances this time, especially after what happened against O'Fallon last week," Cahokia coach Kevin Bement said. "I brought DeMarco along for insurance, especially if I considered moving Hickman to heavyweight. DeMarco is a solid wrestler, but he's had problems beating out (Luther) Gilmer for the starting spot at 160. He came through for us today, though."

"I'm not in the best of shape yet," Cotter said. "I've had my problems when I'm down on the mat. I missed my attempt on the headlock and he got on top of me. I never gave up once I fell behind, but I couldn't squirm away from him. I'm real disappointed right now. We came in believing we could beat Cahokia, but we didn't finish the job."

Granite City shot out of the gate quickly by winning five of the first seven matches. Pinfalls by Ryan King (112), Mark McKechan (130) and Jerry Heubschman (140) ignited the rapid start.

But the bottom fell out when Donald Roberts (145), ranked sixth in the state in Class AA, knocked off Jeff Heubschman 13-2. Donies Thomas (152) continued the assault with a lopsided victory over Scott Simon and

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Trojans wilt again in 2nd half, lose 91-73

By Mike Blackshere
Correspondent

PINCKNEYVILLE — Somewhere out there someone must have a voodoo doll wearing a Trojan jersey. At the start of the third quarter they tied the doll up and the Trojans suddenly can't shoot, pass or defend.

Madison took the third quarter off again Saturday — something they have done too often this season. Cairo outscored the Trojans 23-9 in that quarter and was off and running to a 91-73 win in the second game of the four-game Southern Illinois Shootout.

The Pilots ran off 14 straight points to turn a five-point halftime deficit into a nine-point lead. The Trojans (12-4) never recovered.

"That's twice in two weeks that we just couldn't play in the second half in back-to-back games," said Madison coach Al Collins.

The week before Madison wilted against Carbondale in the second half of the Belleville East Invitational championship game. On Saturday the Trojans were coming off a 77-57 win in Okawville the night before.

"We just wilted," said Collins. "We have a tendency to get desperate too quickly. I don't think we are mentally or physically as tough as we need to be."

The old adage that teams that like to press don't like to be pressed proved true Saturday. Although Madison handled Cairo's press in the first half, it was their undoing after intermission. Many teams wouldn't think of pressing the traditionally quick and athletic Trojans. But Cairo

Cairo 91, MADISON 73

CAIRO	14	19	23	35—91
MADISON	20	18	9	26—73

CAIRO: B. Lowe 27, Russell 16, Brown 13, Bingham 13, K. Lowe 11, Williams 9, Purchase 2.
MADISON: Mays 25, Smith 21, Walker 9, Lott 8, Williams 8, Woodson 2.

coach Bill Chumbler saw the Madison-Carbondale game on tape and he knew it could work.

"I knew were just as quick as Carbondale," he said. "I felt (Madison) would cough it up if we really stuck it to them."

The Trojans dictated the tempo early, leading 18-8. Their largest lead was 32-21 midway in the second quarter behind the shooting of Andre Mays (25 points) and Antonio Smith (20 points, 13 rebounds). But the Pilots came back to make it 38-33 by halftime.

"The bad news is we're playing terrible," Chumbler said he told his players at halftime. "The good news is we're only five down."

That didn't last long. Bryant Lowe, a 6-1 senior, outscored the Trojans singlehandedly in the third quarter as he poured in 11 of his game-high 27 points. Lowe was named the game's Most Valuable players while four teammates joined him in double figures.

The Pilots led 56-47 going into the fourth quarter, then poured in an amazing 35 points in the final eight minutes.

"I don't know how we can play decently one night and then play so bad the next night. We've got to get it together. We've got too much talent to lose this badly. We've got to get in and work on their heads."

Skaters win division

GRANITE CITY — The Warrior hockey team clinched the Mid-States Club Hockey Association North Division title with a 6-4 win over Hazelwood Central on Monday.

Granite City finished a perfect 10-0 in division play and is 10-8-1 overall. Derek Zirkelbach and Chad St. Peters scored three goals each in a relatively peaceful game. Zirkelbach and St. Peters scored power play goals 25 seconds apart late in the second period to rally the Warriors from a 3-2 deficit before a large crowd at the Wilson Park rink.

There were 74 penalty minutes handed out — far short of the Dec. 14 melee between the two teams. The Hawks are 7-2 in division play. More on the game will appear in Thursday's *Press-Record*.

•Basketball

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"With the two big boys down low, Granite City is going to be one of the best teams in the area if they can hit some outside shots," said Reynolds.

Leading 45-32 after three quarters, the Warriors quickly put the game out of reach in the first minute of the fourth. Thomas hit a basket, Birdsong got a steal and a layup, then Birdsong made another steal and made a quick pass to Brian Smith for a 51-32 lead.

"We didn't have to say anything to them about where we would have been with a loss," said Ohlendorf. "They knew how much they needed this one. We've got a couple of tough ones this week, but if we can't rise to the occasion then we don't have the players I think we do."

•Wrestling

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Gilmer (160) handily defeated Russ Buchek. A 12-9 victory by Roger Williams (171) over Andy Richards set the stage for Suggs.

"We were waiting around for someone else to do the job," said Chris Hoffstot, who knocked off Chris Monroe of the Comanches 6-4 at 135. "It's a frustrating feeling. We really felt we could beat these guys, and we were on a roll until we reached 145 pounds. Cahokia is beatable."

CAHOKIA 36, Granite City 27

103-PAT SCHEFFER won by forfeit; 112-RYAN KING pinned Larry Mobbs (1:10); 119-Roger Harris pinned CHRIS HAAS (0:49); 125-Joe Ward defeated DAN HICKS, 17-2; 130-MARK McKECHAN pinned Brandon Lott (4:23); 135-CHRIS HOFFSTOT defeated Chris Monroe, 6-4; 140-JERRY HEUBSCHMAN pinned Marco Mitchell (3:24); 145-Donald Roberts beat JEFF HEUBSCHMAN, 13-2; 152-Donnie Thomas beat SCOTT SIMON, 17-2; 160-Luther Gilmer beat RUSS BUCHEK, 15-3; 171-Roger Williams beat ANDY RICHARDS, 12-9; 189-DeMarco Suggs beat MARK COTTER, 11-1; 275-Maurice Hickman pinned AL WILLAREDT (1:54).

Collinsville pulls away late to beat Lady Warriors

By Brian Henry
Correspondent

COLLINSVILLE — Buoyed by a 27-point fourth quarter, the Collinsville Lady Kahoks routed the Lady Warriors 68-47 at Fletcher Gymnasium on Saturday.

The Lady Kahoks (2-7, 8-13) didn't get going until the second half, but when they did it was in a big way. Collinsville made only 8 of 34 shots in the first half and it appeared it would be a repeat performance of the Lady Warriors' 57-48 win on Dec. 4 when the Lady Kahoks shot only 29 percent.

Granite City (5-4, 9-9 after a 65-36 loss in Mascoutah on Monday) led 26-23 at halftime, but Collinsville switched to a man-to-man full-court press in the third quarter. The result was an 11-2 run and a 37-31 lead for the home team.

"We struggled in the first half, but I was pleased with the way we shot in the second half," said Collinsville coach Paul Harrington. "It helps to make the three-pointers. If we don't make those we don't have a chance."

After making only two of 14 from three-point land in the first half, Collinsville sank seven three-pointers after intermission. Leading the comeback was Caryn Chasteen, who had 21 of her game-high 25 points in the final 16 minutes. She had four steals and three three-pointers in the half.

"Caryn is who makes us quick," said Harrington. "She's able to turn on the afterburners at times and run the floor for us."

"That's when it all fell apart, the third quarter," said Lady Warrior coach Allen Lobdell. "When we couldn't beat the press we lost our composure and

Collinsville 68, GRANITE CITY 47

GRANITE CITY	10	16	9	12—47
COLLINSVILLE	10	13	18	27—68

GRANITE CITY: Cavaness 15 (10 rebounds), Sykes 13 (10 rebounds), Kult 10, Cline 6 (1 3-pointer), Lenzi 3 (1 3-pointer). FG-19/51 (2 3-pointers), FT-7/19.

COLLINSVILLE: Chasteen 25 (3 3-pointers), Bohnenstiehl 12 (2 3-ppinters), Crnkovich 9 (1 3-pointer), Schuetz 8, Nelson 8 (2 3-pointers), Thompson 4, Brussatti 2. FG-23/63 (9 3-pointers), FT-12/23.

we also didn't get to set up our offense."

The Lady Kahoks led early, but Granite City came back behind freshman Jamie Cavaness, who led the Lady Warriors with 15 points and 10 rebounds. The Lady Warriors had their biggest lead at 24-19 when Addie Lenzi hit a three-pointer with 1:44 left in the half.

Lenzi and Karen Sykes combined for 33 points in the teams' last meeting, but Collinsville held them to only 16 Saturday. Sykes and 13 and Lenzi had just the one three-pointer.

"Sykes killed us last time," said Harrington. "We didn't go to any special defense because that would have opened it up for someone else. The best part of her game is her jump shot and we didn't give her that."

"Teams are starting to put their best athletes on Karen and are guarding Addie with a tough point guard," said Lobdell.

Three turnovers on inbounds plays led to Granite City's downfall in the third quarter. An attempt at a man-to-man defense also failed as the Lady Kahoks moved the ball effectively.

"When we went to a man-to-man, they had three people who could handle the ball," said Lobdell. "We have a lack of speed and we couldn't keep up with them."

Collinsville led 41-35 after three, then exceeded its entire first half production with 27 points in the fourth quarter.

"It's tough to go to Collinsville and beat them," said Lobdell.

"When they got comfortable shooting, that was all she wrote."

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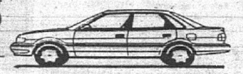

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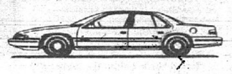

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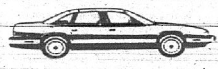

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Journals Coaches Poll
Boys Basketball
Large Schools

Week of Jan. 30

1. Collinsville (1)....17-2
2. Kirkwood (2)....15-1
3. DeSmet (3)....16-3
4. Parkway West (5)....15-2
5. Vashon (4)....14-5
6. Parkway Central (6)....15-3
7. Ritenour (9)....13-1
8. SLUH (NR)....13-3
9. Roosevelt (10)....13-3
10. Edwardsville (7)....14-4

Also receiving votes, in order: Oakville, Parkway South, Civic Memorial, East St. Louis, Fox.

Coaches in poll: Don Bee, Lindbergh; Gerry Boehm, Francis Howell; Bob Bone, Collinsville; Jim Choate, House Springs Northwest; Mark Hahn, Pattonville; Dave Holley, Kirkwood; Ed Liliensiek, Hazelwood Central; Don Maurer, SLUH; BILL OHLENDORF, GRANITE CITY; Bill Sodemann, Parkway West.

Number in parentheses indicates last week's ranking. Teams get 10 points for first-place votes down to one point for 10th place. Cutoff point for small and large schools is 1,000 enrollment.

Journals Coaches Poll
Boys Basketball
Small Schools

Week of Jan. 30

1. VENICE (2)....16-3
2. Cardinal Ritter (1)....13-3
3. Waterloo Gibault (6)....16-2
4. Festus (3)....15-1
5. MADISON (5)....12-4
6. Brentwood (4)....13-3
7. Jennings (7)....14-5
8. Sullivan (8)....13-4
9. Lutheran North (NR)....10-6
10. Troy (10)....12-3

Also receiving votes, in order: Breese Mater Dei, Althoff, Alton Marquette, John Burroughs, Naval Jr. ROTC, St. Dominic, Wesclin.

Coaches in poll: Randy Carter, Jennings; Sam Davis, Brentwood; Dan Harms, Lutheran South; Brad Harriman, Althoff; CLINTON HARRIS, VENICE; Andy Hubbard, Windsor; Rick Koettker, St. John's; Dan Miller, St. Charles; Kirk Mueller, Lutheran North; Tim Wolk, Windsor.

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Journals Coaches Poll
Wrestling

Week of Jan. 30

1. McCluer North (1)....78
2. Lafayette (2)....69
3. (tie) Cahokia (5)....60
3. (tie) Francis Howell North (3)....60
5. Belleville West (4)....41
6. GRANITE CITY (6)....37
7. Oakville (7)....23
8. Hazelwood East (8)....19
9. Belleville East (10)....12
10. Wentzville (UR)....11

Also receiving votes, in order: Parkway South, Ft. Zumwalt South, Francis Howell, Mehlville, St. Charles West, Hazelwood Central, Vianney, Parkway Central, Civic Memorial.

Coaches in poll: Dan Hopson, Fox; Fred Ross, Lafayette; Rocky Streb, Oakville; George Simmons, NJROTC; John Wehmeier, Belleville West; Harold Ritchie, Francis Howell North; Kevin Bement, Cahokia; Charlie Sherertz, McCluer North; Gary Oxford, Hazelwood Central; Mike O'Brien, DeSmet.

Number in parentheses indicates last week's ranking. UR means that team was unranked last week. Last number indicates points received in voting. A first-place vote is worth 10 points and so on down to one point for a tenth-place vote.

Journals Coaches Poll
Girls Basketball
Large Schools

Week of Jan. 30

1. Belleville West (1)....22-0
2. ESL Lincoln (2)....17-1
3. DeSoto (3)....15-1
4. Mehlville (5)....17-0
5. Parkway North (4)....17-2
6. McCluer North (8)....15-1
7. Parkway West (6)....13-4
8. St. Joseph's (7)....12-3
9. Webster Groves (9)....16-1
10. DuBourg (10)....13-6

Also receiving votes, in order: Cor Jesu, Mascoutah, Jerseyville.

Coaches in poll: Larry Betz, Belleville West; Susan Mayer, Mehlville; Don Burrus, DuBourg; Dean Schulenberg, Hazelwood Central; Rocky Ryan, McCluer North; Larry Eller, St. Joseph's Academy; Greg Crockett, Cahokia; Ron Rhodes, DeSoto.

Teams get 10 points for first-place votes down to one point for 10th place. Cutoff point for small and large schools is 1,000 enrollment.

Journals Coaches Poll
Girls Basketball
Small Schools

Week of Jan. 30

1. Okawville (2)....20-2
2. Visitation (1)....9-7
3. Mater Dei (3)....20-2
4. Incarnate Word (4)....11-4
5. Wesclin (7)....17-4
6. Rosati-Kain (6)....13-3
7. Troy (5)....14-3
8. Jennings (9)....13-2
9. Orchard Farm (8)....9-7
10. St. John (UR)....12-1

Also receiving votes, in order: Wellston, Rosary, Lutheran North, Kennedy.

Coaches in poll: Paul Stoecklin, Rosary; Stan Westhoff, Duchesne; Tom Berry, Affton; Mike Albers, Lutheran South; Jerry Rieger, Wesclin; Thad Strobach, Visitation; Burt Droste, Clayton; Jerry Devany, Dupo; Karen Biehle, Festus.

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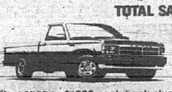
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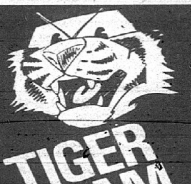
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P205/65SR15	BLK	59.75
P175/70SR13	W/W	54.75
P185/70SR14	W/W	57.75
P195/70SR14	W/W	58.75
P205/70SR14	W/W	59.75
P215/70SR14	W/W	60.75
P205/70SR15	W/W	63.75
P215/70SR15	W/W	64.75
P225/70SR15	W/W	67.75
P235/70SR15	W/W	72.75
P225/70SR15	W/W	76.75
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P195/60SR14	BLK	69.75
P195/60SR16	BLK	74.75
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P215/60HR14	RWL	92.75
P225/60HR14	RWL	95.75
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P195/60SR15*	57
P235/60SR15	65
P255/60SR15	72
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P215/65SR15	63

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SIZE "A"	PRICE
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P185/70SR13	48
P195/70SR13	54
P185/70SR14	55
P195/70SR14	56
P205/70SR14	57
P215/70SR14	58
P225/70SR15	64
P235/70SR15	67

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SIZE "B"	PRICE
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165SR13	36
175/70SR13	40
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SIZE "C"	PRICE
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SIZE "D"	PRICE
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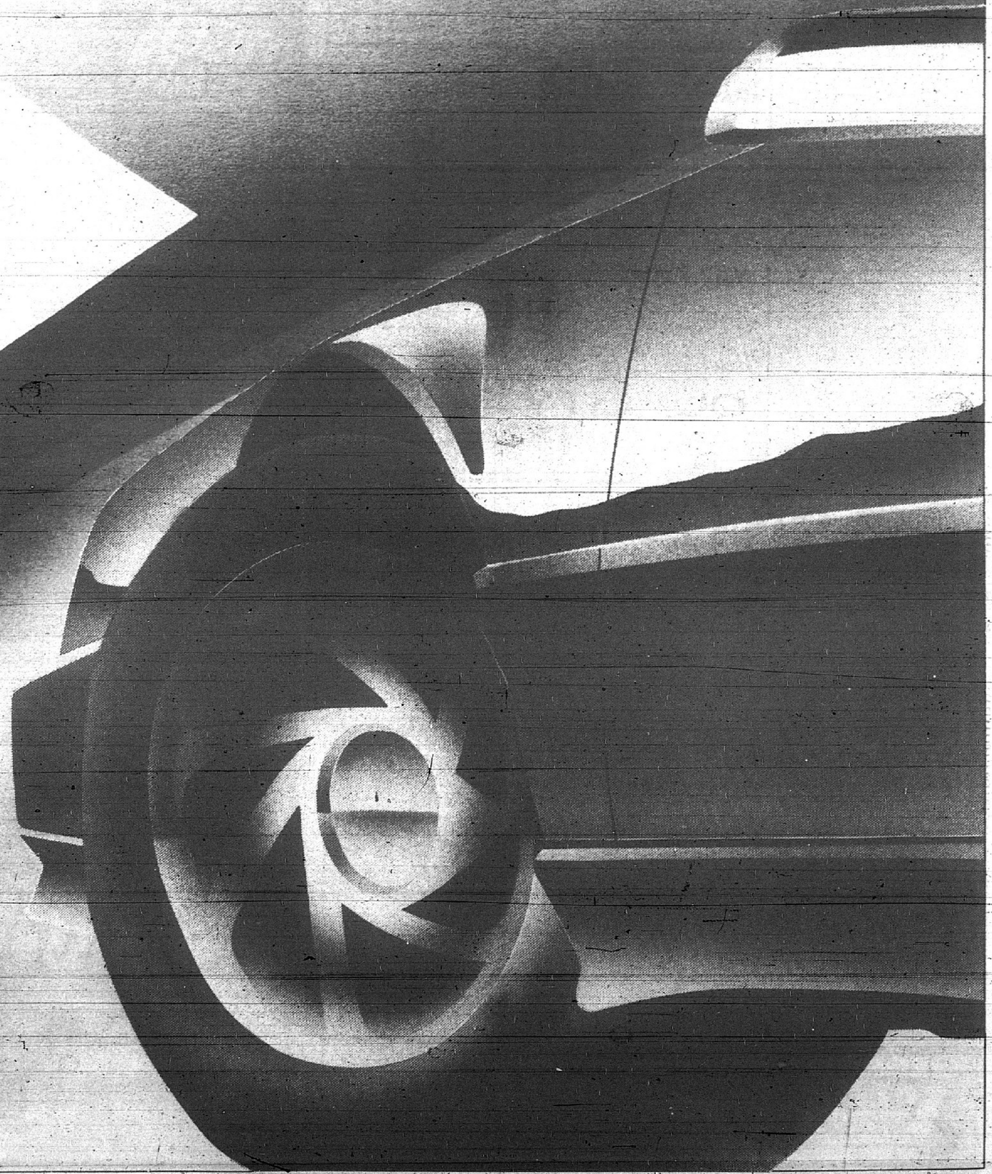

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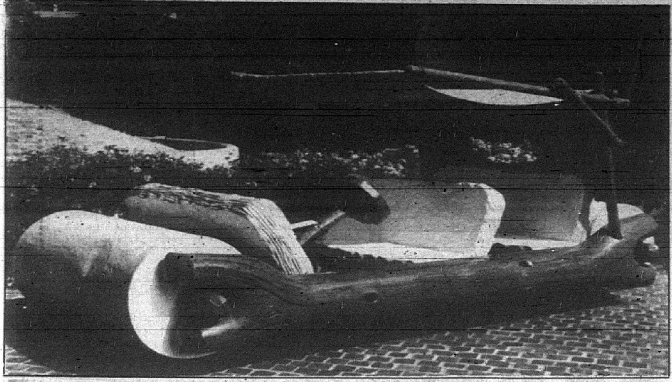

FLINTMOBILE: It is a full-scale reproduction of the prehistoric automobile from the classic animated television program, "The Flintstones." It will be one of the special attractions at the Greater St. Louis International Auto Show, opening Wednesday, Jan. 30, at Cervantes Convention Center.

St. Louis auto show ready to roll

The Greater St. Louis International Auto Show has something for everyone, from car buffs to families stricken with cabin fever and in need of an afternoon outing, show promoters say. The show runs Wednesday, Jan. 30, through Sunday, Feb. 3, at Cervantes Convention Center downtown.

"It's good clean fun for the whole family," says Dick Huey, show chairman and president of Carlson Oldsmobile, Frontenac.

For those thinking about buying a new car, the show offers a unique opportunity for one-stop comparison shopping.

"It is the greatest place to go to look at automobiles if you've even got half an inkling," says Don Gilbert, executive director of the Greater St. Louis Automotive Association.

Thirty-four automakers will exhibit 400-plus 1991 cars, vans and light trucks at the show. This also will be the first chance St. Louisans will have to view some 1992 models that will reach dealer showrooms later this year.

Then there are the special attractions, including cartoon character Fred Flintstone's Flintmobile, the three fantasy cars featured in the "Back to the Future" movies, and the automakers' concept cars. Miss America—Marjorie Vincent—is scheduled to make appearances at the Chevrolet exhibit on Saturday and Sunday.

"It will help get rid of the blahs," Gilbert says of the ninth annual show.

As an "A" show, a ranking St. Louis earned because of the heavy attendance the last two years, the event will feature the auto companies' most stylish and most complete displays, he says.

Local automobile dealers like the show for another reason: It has pushed the start of the spring sales season from April back to February, he adds.

Even if you are not in the market for a new car, the show is eventful, Huey says, noting that children of all ages will be attracted to the Flintstone's "Stone Age" Flintmobile, celebrating the cartoon's 30th anniversary, and the gull-winged DeLorean automobiles transformed by Hollywood magic for use in the "Back to the Future" trilogy.

For the technology-minded, there are the concept cars, and exhibits highlighting the engineering and design work that went into certain cars.

Plus, Ford Motor Co. and the United Auto Workers have put together a miniature production line that shows how automobiles are assembled. "We're expecting that to draw a crowd," Huey says.

Interested crowds also are expected at the Oldsmobile display, where the 1992 Eighty-Eight Royale LS will be unveiled, and at the Mitsubishi booth where the Diamante will

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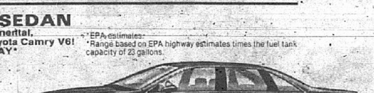

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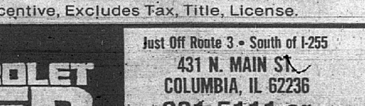

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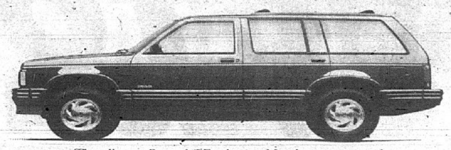

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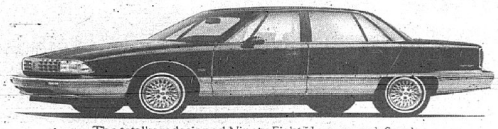

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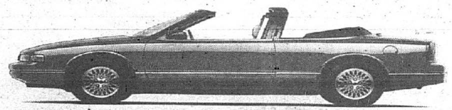

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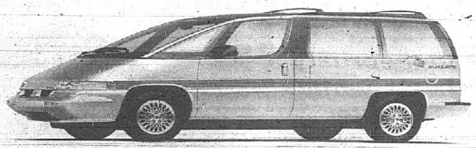

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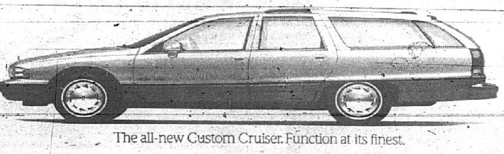

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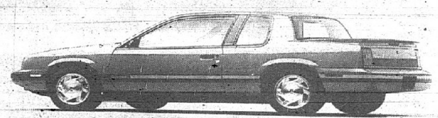

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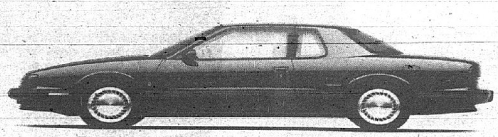

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Geo Storm, Tracker add new models this year

More than 4,000 Chevrolet/Geo dealers in the United States are selling the fuel-efficient, fun-to-drive, moderately priced Geo models, making the import-based Geo brand a significant player in the intensively competitive subcompact economy market.

Highlights for 1991 include a new Geo Storm two-door hatchback; a lower-priced, two-wheel-drive version of the Tracker sport utility vehicle; and nationwide availability of the Metro convertible.

The Geo brand offers a total of 19 models, representing four lines. A few details on each line follow:

•The new hatchback joins two other models in the Storm line: two-door 2+2 coupe and two-door GSi sports coupe.

All Storm models are equipped with a supplemental inflatable restraint system (air bag) for the driver and Scotchgard fabric protection is applied to all seat fabrics.

The hatchback has a large glass tailgate with low liftover height; swing out/detachable rear-quarter windows; "easy entry" feature on the passenger side; wrap-around tricolor tail lamps; and a rear-load-space security cover. The engine is a 1.6-liter, 12-valve, MFI, single overhead-cam four-cylinder. A five-speed manual transmission with overdrive is standard; a three-speed automatic is optional.

•The Tracker line includes a new entry-level two-wheel-drive (2WD) convertible. The four-wheel-drive Tracker is available as a convertible or hardtop, and comes in standard and upscale LSi trim levels.

All Trackers except LSi models feature revised black-out treatments and new bold model identification in either bright green or orange, depending upon exterior color selection. Trim features have been eliminated from Tracker's sides to allow for custom paint or graphic treatments.

All '91 Trackers have new rear anti-lock brakes and Scotchgard fabric protection for seats and door trim. A 1.6L EFI four-cylinder engine and five-speed manual transmission are standard; a three-speed automatic is optional on four-wheel drive models.

•Metro continues as the most affordable and fuel-efficient transportation that Geo provides. The lineup consists of the LSi two-door convertible; XFi two-door hatchback coupe, the nation's fuel economy leader; two-door hatchback coupe in standard and LSi trim levels; and four-door hatchback sedans in standard and LSi trim levels.

Standard Metro and LSi models get new fabrics for seats and door inserts. Now standard on the LSi are a front console, a load-space security cover, a new front headrest seat design and a new integral rear headrest.

All '91 Metros have Scotchgard fabric protector on seats and door panels. The XFi also features new seat fabrics.

The XFi is the most fuel-efficient vehicle in the United States, attaining 53 mpg in the city and 58 mpg on the highway, according to EPA estimates.

•Prizm, Geo's affordable family sedan, features new wheel covers for standard and LSi models, a new body-color grille, revised instrument cluster graphics, a new long-life exhaust system and black-out treatment on the wheel wells and moldings. A tachometer is now optional on Prizm LSi models. GSi seats have new cloth backs.

Prizm offers five models. Four-door notchback versions come in three trim levels: standard, LSI and performance-oriented GSi. Four-door hatchback versions come in standard and GSi trim levels.

Nissan presents new Sentra

Nissan kicks off 1991 with an all-new Sentra, rounding out a "new generation" of cars and trucks introduced by the company over the past two years. The new Sentra line features contemporary styling, an ergonomic interior and a pair of state-of-the-art drivetrains.

Sentra joins a Nissan lineup that has been refined and enhanced for 1991. Most significant are changes to the 240SX line. Nissan's affordable sports car now features an aggressive new front-end appearance and a 16-valve engine. Also new for this year, the super HICAS four-wheel steering is available in the SE Fastback model.

The Nissan car lineup for 1991 also includes the following:

•Stanza, a midsize sedan with front-wheel drive, contemporary styling and the most powerful standard engine in its class.

•240SX sports car, which receives numerous exterior and interior styling changes along with increased horsepower.

•Maxima, the sedan flagship of the Nissan division, which receives numerous refinements including an upgraded standard audio system, a quieter air conditioning system, new "sew-style" leather in the SE model and redesigned exterior mirrors to further reduce wind noise.

•300ZX, enhanced this year with more standard features and the addition of a new model, a non-T-top two-seat coupe.

•Pathfinder, a four-door sport utility vehicle featuring car-like comfort.

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be rolled out. The Royale LS, a large family sedan, will reach showrooms in July or August, while the Diamante, a luxury performance sedan, will arrive in April.

Also on view will be Mercury's 1992 Grand Marquis and Ford's 1992 Crown Victoria, both due in showrooms in late March.

The Mercedes-Benz exhibit will feature the Sauber Mercedes C9, the race car that won nine of the 10 races it entered, including the 24 Hours of LeMans. It also won the World Sports Prototype Championship.

Among the concept cars on display will be the Cadillac Aurora, Dodge Viper R/T10, Chrysler Millennium, Jeep Freedom Convertible and Chevrolet Monte Carlo.

Concept cars actually test the market; they are packed with features the marketing and engineering executives think the car buyer of the future will want.

That's why Don Gilbert calls them "thermometers. If you're temperature goes up, they build it," he says.

Show promoters have arranged a shuttle bus service linking the convention center with $2 parking lots on Laclede's Landing.

Coupons for $1 off the $7 adult admission are available at all Schnucks stores and from local auto dealers; the coupons are worth $3 off on Wednesday, Jan. 30.

Cost for senior citizens, ages 62 and older, is $6. For children ages 6 to 12, it is $3.

Show hours are:

11 a.m. to 10 p.m. Wednesday through Friday;

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Rear-drive Buick wagon first Roadmaster of '90s

Buick has announced the return of a great name in its heritage—Roadmaster—on a new family of full-size vehicles featuring V8 engines and rear-wheel drive. They are the completely redesigned 1991 Roadmaster Estate Wagon, and in spring 1991, the all-new 1992 Roadmaster and Roadmaster Limited sedans.

The return of Roadmaster adds luster to Buick's new lineup whose highlights also include the completely redesigned 1991 Park Avenue and Park Avenue Ultra and the 1991 Regal sedan. The Park Avenue and Park Avenue Ultra, introduced this past July, are "the most sophisticated six-passenger cars Buick has ever offered," said Buick's general manager, Edward H. Mertz. The Regal sedans were added to the midsize Regal coupe lineup in June.

The aerodynamic Roadmaster Estate Wagon is powered by a fuel-injected 5-liter V8 engine delivering 170 horsepower—up 30 hp from the 1990 Estate Wagon powerplant. This is the first major redesign since 1978 of the most luxurious wagon offered by General Motors.

Full-size rear-wheel-drive 1992 Roadmaster and Roadmaster Limited sedans, featuring a 5.7-liter, fuel-injected V8 as the standard engine, will be introduced in spring 1991. The engine delivers 180 hp at 4200 rpm and 290 lb.-ft. of torque at 2400 rpm. A new Buick feature debuting as standard on the Roadmaster Limited is a variable-effort steering system.

Except for Estate Wagon, these will be the first rear-drive Buicks since the 1987 Regal and the first Buicks with a standard V8 engine since the 1985 Riviera.

Both the wagon and sedan have 5,000-pound towing capacities.

Also in the Buick spotlight this year are the following technical improvements:

•The advanced 3800 V6 with tuned port injection, introduced as an exclusive option in last year's Regal coupe, is the standard engine in the '91 Park Avenue, Park Avenue Ultra, Riviera, Reatta and Regal Gran Sport. It continues as optional in other Regals.

This engine substantially boosts midrange torque and delivers 170 horsepower and 220 lb.-ft. of torque compared with 165 hp and 210 lb.-ft. of torque in the regular 3800.

It delivers estimated EPA fuel economy ratings of 18 mpg in the city and 27 on the highway in the Park Avenue, Riviera and Reatta; and 19 city, 28 highway in the Regal.

In the Park Avenue and Park Avenue Ultra, Riviera and Reatta, this engine is teamed with an electronically controlled four-speed automatic transmission. The new transmission, which is standard, provides "effortless acceleration and precise upshifts and downshifts in normal driving, as well as responsiveness when needed for quick acceleration," Mertz said.

•Park Avenue and Park Avenue Ultra are 8 inches longer than their predecessors with 3.9 cubic feet of additional trunk volume. They have flush-mounted glass and aerodynamic styling to achieve a drag coefficient of 0.31. These new models offer an array of new features including dual automatic climate controls—"ComforTemp"—for the driver and passenger (standard in Ultra); "solar control" glass; substantial reinforcement of the body structure to virtually eliminate vibration; and oil-life and oil-level monitors. Towing capacity is now 3,000 pounds.

•An anti-lock braking system (ABS) is standard on the new Roadmaster Estate Wagon, Park Avenue and Park Avenue Ultra; and will be standard on the '92 Roadmaster sedans. ABS also has become standard on Riviera and continues as standard on Reatta. It is a new option on the Skylark Gran Sport coupe and continues as optional on LeSabre, Regal Limited and Regal Gran Sport.

•Supplemental inflatable restraints (air bags) for the driver are standard on Park Avenue, Park Avenue Ultra and Roadmaster Estate Wagon and will be standard on the '92 Roadmaster sedans. They continue as standard on Riviera and Reatta.

Buick is the only domestic automaker and one of only two, including both domestics and imports, to place in the "top 10" of all J.D. Power customer surveys in the last two years. J.D. Power and Associates is an independent research firm.

The Power surveys measure customer experience over a broad period—sales experience in the dealership (Sales Satisfaction Index), then fewest problems in the first 90 days of ownership of a new car (Initial Quality Survey), customer satisfaction and dealer service after one year (Customer Satisfaction Index) and a new survey in 1990, dependability of 1985 models after five years (Vehicle Dependability Index).

Besides making all of the top-10 lists, Buick was the highest-ranked domestic automaker in the new Vehicle Dependability Index as well as the highest ranked domestic in the Initial Quality Survey for two straight years.

Among all individual models sold in the United States, Buick's LeSabre is ranked by buyers in the 1990 Initial Quality Survey as the top domestic car for the second straight year and No. 6 among 120 domestic and imported models. LeSabre is No. 1 among all makes in the full-size segment.

Century is highest domestic and No. 4 overall in the midsize category, Electra/Park Avenue is highest domestic and No. 8 overall among luxury cars, Regal coupe is No. 2 overall in midsize specialty cars and Skylark is No. 10 overall among compacts.

Cadillac highlights engines

Cadillac continues to offer a broad range of luxury car lines—from its traditional Brougham sedan to the ultra-luxury Allante.

This year's technology highlights include new, more powerful engines and electronically controlled transmissions in the De Ville/Fleetwood, Seville and Eldorado models; standard anti-lock brake systems on all Cadillac models; a new fuel-injected base engine on Brougham; a new Phase II convertible top on Allante and a new Computer Command Ride suspension system that is standard equipment or available on all front-wheel drive, full-size models.

In 1991 Cadillac is the only mass producer of luxury automobiles to offer V8 engines in all of its models. A new, more powerful, 4.9-liter port-fuel-injected V8 is offered exclusively by Cadillac in the De Ville/Fleetwood, Eldorado and Seville models. The new engine is rated at 200 horsepower and is coupled to a new, electronically controlled Hydra-matic 4T60-E transaxle. Zero-to-60 mph acceleration times are 8.7 seconds for the De Ville/Fleetwood and 8.2 seconds for the Eldorado and Seville.

The new powertrain also has a refined torque management system that helps minimize stress on the transaxle.

Cadillac's Coupe and Sedan de Ville receive a substantial power increase with the new 200-hp 4.9-liter port-fuel-injected V8. The appearance of both models is enhanced with a new grille and power dome hood. A new electronic transmission helps eliminate unwanted upshifting or downshifting.

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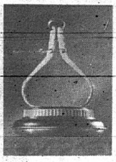

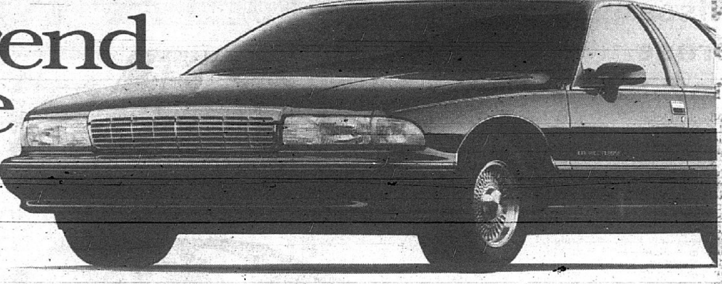

Caprice Classic LTZ. When you consider the impressive combination of aerodynamics, performance, fuel economy,* comfort, leading edge design and traditional Chevrolet value, the new Caprice is the best full-size sedan in Chevrolet history. More spacious and quieter than ever, with safety features like a driver's-side air bag and four-wheel anti-lock brakes and offering luxuries you won't find in cars costing thousands more, the new Caprice is, as *Motor Trend* says, "...a new benchmark in a high-quality, performance-oriented family sedan, destined to be an important car on the American scene."

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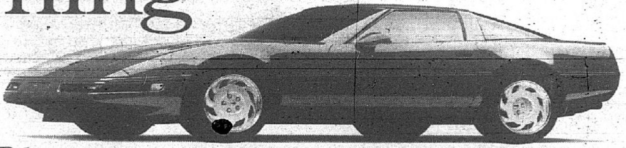

Corvette ZR-1. This is the winning machine that obliterated a 50-year-old speed record for production cars, averaging over 175 MPH for 24 hours. Brandishing 5.7 liters of fuel-injected, 32-valve, double overhead cam V8 fury, the 1991 ZR-1 is one of the best sports cars in the world. Of course Corvette, Blazer and Caprice are just part of Chevrolet's winning story for 1991. From excellent family sedans like Lumina and Corsica, to driver-oriented machines like the Chevy Beretta GTZ and Camaro Z28, to great values like Cavalier, you can see it all at our big display at the Auto Show. Then see for yourself why, in our 80th year, more people depend on Chevrolet than any other car.

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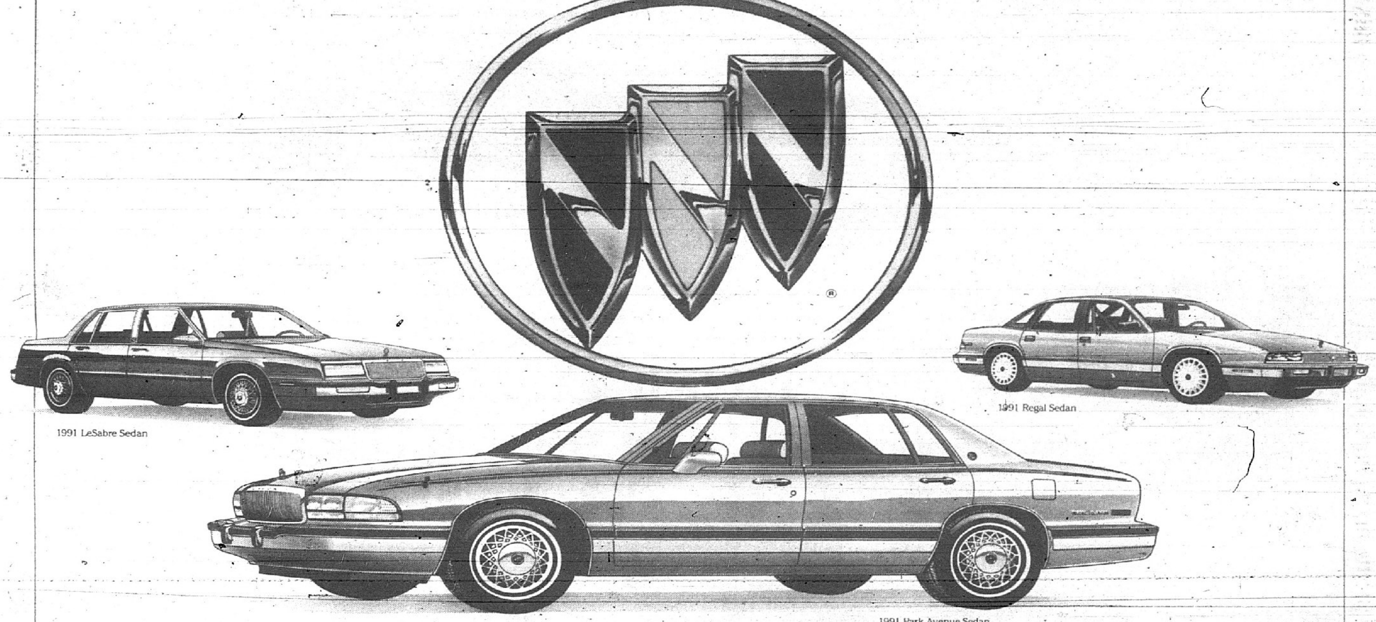

1991 LeSabre Sedan

1991 Regal Sedan

1991 Park Avenue Sedan

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